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BURNS RESULT IN HER DEATH

MRS SHELL GARTEN OF PICKERING DIES TODAY.

IN PAIN EIGHT WEEKS

Pickering Woman Severely Burned When Dress Caught Fire From Stove January 15.

Mrs. Laura Helen Garten, wife of Shell Garten of Pickering, died about 1:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of her son, Robert Garten, on East Edwards street as the result of burns suffered at her home, one-half mile south of Pickering, Saturday, January 15.

Mrs Garten had placed some wood in a heating stove. Her dress was drawn in through a lower draft door, which stood open, and the dress goods ignited. She was burned severely from her knees to her breast and on her back and hands. The same evening she was brought to St. Francis hospital where she was under treatment for four weeks. A month ago she was removed to her son's home in Maryville.

No funeral arangements have been made.

Mrs. Garten was born in Illinois fifty-eight years ago. When a young girl she came to Nodaway County with her parents, who located at Pickering. Her marriage to Mr. Garten took place thirty-six years ago last August. She had lived in and near Pickering and Maryville most of her life.

Besides her husband, she is survived by eight children. They are: Mrs. Fred McLarnon, Mrs. James Greenlee, Robert and Frank Garten and Miss Annice Garten, Maryville; and Romain, Fred Moreland and James Morris, of Pickering.

Mrs. Garten also leaves three sisters, Mrs. May Vail, Lincoln, Neb., Mrs. Maud Broyles and Mrs. George Scane of Loveland, Colo., two brothers, Frank Craig, Bay City, Mich., and Will Craig, Alexis, Ill., and three grandchildren, Claude and Ethel Dell Greenlee and Vera Marie McLarnon.

R. L. McDougal Given Medal With Diamonds

Thirty-Eight Years Of Service As Agent Is Recognized By National Liberty Insurance Co.

R. L. McDougal, veteran, among Maryville insurance men, has been wearing since last week a handsome diamond studded gold service honor medal given to him by the National Liberty Insurance Co. in commemoration of his thirty-eight years of service.

The medal is of gold, representing in itself twenty-five years of service. Mounted upon it are two diamonds, each indicating an additional five years of service. The medal is appropriately engraved and was contained in a handsome case.

It is the plan of the company to add a diamond after each additional five years of service by Mr. McDougal. Only six agents in Missouri have won the recognition and Mr. McDougal has had the longest service of any of them.

The presentation of the honor medal was made by the company's vice-president, C. H. Coats, who came to Maryville from Kansas City.

Prepares for Busy Session of Court

J. Henry Thorp, Courthouse Custodian, Digs Out Old Chairs From Rubbish Heap and Repairs Them.

With the murder charges against Tom Ashbrook of Burlington Junction likely to be set for next month, J. Henry Thorp, janitor of the courthouse, this week has been preparing for a busy session of the April term of the Nodaway County circuit court.

He has been making preparations to take care of the expected large crowds by fixing up many chairs that had been relegated to the old furniture pile.

Twenty-five broken-down chairs have been brought out of the storage room and Mr. Thorp has been busy making them stable.

Miss Martin Home.

Miss Mabel Martin returned home this morning from an extended visit with friends in New York City and other eastern points. Miss Martin spent several weeks in Cambridge, Mass., with her nephew, Forrest Martin of Maryville, a student at Harvard University.

Bearcat-Emporia Game Play by Play Tonight

The basketball game at 6 o'clock tonight between the State Teachers College Bearcats and the Emporia, Kan., Teachers in Convention Hall, Kansas City will be received in Maryville play-by-play. The Democrat-Forum has leased a telephone wire direct from the playing floor in Convention Hall, and Lloyd Harris, Bearcat basketball player, will give the report of the game as it is played.

The reports will be received in this office, and will be announced therefrom. All basketball fans are invited to be present. It will be necessary for them to stay outside the office, however. The reports will be read in front of the Democrat-Forum as has been the case after elections or during other games.

M. H. S. AGAIN WINS DEBATE

CAMERON IS DEFEATED IN DISTRICT CONTEST.

WINNERS INTO FINAL

Maryville Girls to Contest for Championship Title at S. T. C.—Squad Off for Fulton.

Maryville High School, taking the negative side of the World Court question, won its debate here late yesterday afternoon over Cameron High School. The successful team will now be entered at the State Teachers College in finals to be held April 29. The winner of the final debate wins the Northwest Missouri championship and receives a silver cup.

Misses Cleo King and Cleola Dawson, composing the local team, made an exceptionally strong argument on the negative side of the question and were given credit by the judge, D. D. Dennis, of Tarkio College, for the use of good authority on the various questions. Maryville was the apparent winner long before the debate ended, as the judge indicated in his remarks before announcing the decision for the negative.

Both teams were at the top in delivery, but that counted but little in the decision.

Misses Dessa Mae Sweat and Francis Warner, of Cameron, had their material well at hand but were unable to refute the arguments of the Maryville debaters.

Both the negative and affirmative teams of the local school left this morning with L. L. St. Clair, principal of the high school, for Fulton, Mo., where they have been entered in the debate tournament given under the auspices of William Woods College. The first debate for Maryville will be at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon when the affirmative team, composed of Doris Wallace and Pauline Nichols, will meet the negative team of Columbia High School.

Harmony-Lock Springs Debate Is Postponed

The debate between Harmony and Lock Springs which was to have been held last night was postponed because the judge was unable to attend. The new date for the debate has not been set.

Elks Offer Basement for Boy Scouts' Use

The Maryville Elks Club will offer the use of the basement of the Elks building on Main street for the Maryville Boy Scouts troop to hold meetings, it was decded last night by the Elks.

For some time since the troop was organized, with the Rev. W. N. Dewar, scout master, and John G. Mutz and Chester Lyle, assistants, it has had difficulty in finding a place to hold meetings.

The troop has grown to thirty members of late. The first meeting in the Elks club will be a week from next Monday.

Emer Young to Be Trustee Candidate

Elmer Young, 923 South Main street, today announced his candidacy for nomination for trustee of Polk township. His name will be submitted to the Democratic convention here this Saturday.

Mr. Young is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Young of Maryville.

COLLEGE WINS FARM DEBATE

LOCAL TEAM DEFEATS CENTRAL ON McNARY-HAUGEN BILL.

JUDGES FOR NEGATIVE

Burdette Yeo And Fred Street Argue Measure Is Unnecessary and Inadvisable.

The State Teachers College negative debating team, composed of Burdette Yeo and Fred Street, defeated an affirmative team from Central College, Fayette, in a debate on the McNary-Haugen bill in the College auditorium this morning. The decision of the judges was two to one in favor of the Maryville team.

Central was represented by William Bidstrup and William Lessley. I. G. Morrison, teacher of public speaking at Central, accompanied the team to Maryville.

The debate was an interesting affair. All four of the speakers presented their arguments forcefully, and the audience was in doubt as to the outcome until the decision of the judges was announced. The judges were: Hubert Garrett, superintendent of schools at Quitman; Miss Essie Ward, a King City attorney; and Miss Frances Brown, teacher of public speaking at Palmer College, Albany.

Foreign Competition Cited.

In presenting the opening arguments for the affirmative, Bidstrup traced the history of the McNary Haugen bill through its passage by Congress and veto by President Coolidge. He stressed the fact that the President recognized a certain need in his veto message.

Bidstrup pointed out that the American farmer is thrown into competition with foreign production, with which he cannot successfully compete. He spoke of Canada as virgin land and of the United States as a place where land is worn out by much cultivation. He also told of the contrast between cheap labor in Argentina and India as compared to that of this country.

"We have a great over-production of basic products in the United States and our elevators will not pay more than the world price for our surplus. There are two solutions: Eliminate or control the surplus," he said.

Then he explained that America's trade balance depends on a surplus of agricultural products, and that only by the principles of the McNary-Haugen or a kindred bill can a control be established.

Constitutionality Upheld.

The second speaker on the affirmative carried on Bidstrup's argument, stressing the fact that the principle of co-operation laid down by the bill is not new, that there is a lack of unity, strength, and interest in co-operatives in the United States, and that the principles of the McNary-Haugen bill have not and cannot be pronounced unconstitutional.

The speaker elaborated on the equalization fee, and then pleaded for relief for the situation.

"The purchasing power of the American dollar, an index to prosperity, is low," he shouted.

Calling the McNary-Haugen bill a radical measure, Street opened for Maryville by arguing that its principles are unnecessary.

"The present condition of American agriculture is only temporary," he said, and then he argued that the according to economic law the problem will naturally remedy itself.

Condition Improving.

His next point was that agricultural conditions are rapidly improving, for the gap between index prices of farmers' production goods and consumption goods is steadily narrowing; the net income of agriculture has increased; marginal and incompetent farmers are migrating to urban centers; and European and South American demand for American products is steadily increasing.

Yeo's main argument was that the principles of the McNary-Haugen bill are impractical and undesirable. He said that the measure would not better the farmers' condition because it would not increase the farmers' net income, and does not attempt to aid all classes of agriculture.

"The principle of subsidizing agriculture is impractical," Yeo contended. "The scheme is too vast an undertaking, too complicated, and too expensive." He then cited the instance of the sugar bounties of 1890 as a colossal failure.

"This policy of price fixing is un-American; it is class legislation," the Maryville debater cried.

Throughout his argument, Yeo used many illustrations. He took up all of the commodities cited in the McNary-Haugen bill. They are: corn, wheat, cotton, swine, rice, and tobacco.

Reach 150 Foot Depth on the Quitman Well

Spudding in on the oil well of the Quitman Gas and Oil Company, nine and a half miles northwest of Maryville, was completed last night, and the contractor, George Rose, expected to start actual drilling this afternoon.

This morning he was changing the manila rope cable from which the drilling bit is suspended.

A depth of 150 feet had been reached when operations were stopped to make the change.

HEARING SET FOR 10 A. M.

ASHBROOK TO BE GIVEN PRELIMINARY TRIAL TOMORROW.

CIRCUIT COURT ROOM

Arraignment to Be Before Judge J. H. Sayler—Twelve Witnesses Are Subpoenaed by the State.

The preliminary hearing for Tom Ashbrook of Burlington Junction, charged with the murder of his neighbor, Dewey Leonard, has been set for 10, o'clock tomorrow morning.

The hearing will be before Judge J. H. Sayler, justice of the peace, in the circuit court room of the courthouse, Judge Sayler announced today.

An extended hearing is expected, as subpoenaes have been issued for witnesses to testify tomorrow.

Ashbrook has been confined in the county jail since the night of the killing, when he admitted firing the shots that killed Leonard late in the afternoon of March 2. Prosecuting Attorney George Pat Wright the next day filed first degree murder charges, and a coroner's jury at Burlington Junction recommended that Ashbrook be held for trial.

Cook & Cummins of Maryville have been retained to defend the defendant.

The witnesses who have been subpoenaed:

Mrs. Elizabeth Leonard, widow of Dewey Leonard; Oscar Teague, stepfather of Mrs. Leonard; Mrs. Bessie Teague, mother of Mrs. Leonard; M. A. Hahn, Berry Hann, undertaker, all of Burlington Junction.

Vern Dolph, town marshall of Burlington Junction; U. S. Reavis, deputy sheriff; Loren Anderson, Guy Johnson, W. W. Jones, Marion Minter, Burlington Junction, and Dr. F. C. Wallis of Maryville, county coroner.

Another Herald of Spring at Burlington

Flock Of Wild Geese Flies Over Town So Low That Color Of Feathers Can Be Discerned.

The Rev. J. Howard Thompson of Burlington Junction is quite sure that spring and seed planting time is not far away.

He reported that the citizens of that town were all astir Monday morning "when the sky was observed to be teeming with great flocks of wild geese on their northern flight."

"Many were flying so low," he said, "that the color of the feathers could be distinguished."

God and You

A LENTEN MEDITATION

By The Rev. Charles Stelzle

God can do no wrong.

This does not mean that every act of God must be right because He is God.

"Nothing can be good in Him which evil is in me," the poet wrote.

"Shall not the Judge of all the earth do right?" asked Job.

Sometimes the ways of God are mysterious, but He cannot be unjust.

There can be no good trait in us which is not found in God, only greatly multiplied.

And there are attributes of love and mercy infinitely greater than any we can possibly possess.

REED TO OPEN PROBE AGAIN

INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE IS CALLED FOR SATURDAY.

NOT OUT OF POLITICS

Senator Denies Reports He Will Soon Quit Public Life.—Discusses Farmers' Problem.

Washington, March 16.—Senator James A. Reed, Democrat, Missouri, in an interview with the United Press today, declared he had summoned the primary fund investigation committee to meet in Washington Saturday for the purpose of proceeding with the Pennsylvania inquiry.

Reed said he probably would not be able to muster the full committee but that he was of the opinion the alleged ballot frauds of two Pennsylvania counties should not rest until the next session of Congress.

"The investigating committee is a permanent body," Reed said. "Although my resolution was blocked during the final hours of Congress, the committee has authority to impound the questioned ballots and not wait until next session."

Reed also said he was willing to contribute $1,000 or perhaps more from personal funds to finance the impounding if necessary.

Not to Quit Public Life.

Dropping the Pennsylvania ballot discussion with the statement "We'll soon show them whether the committee is dead," Reed made it clear in no uncertain terms that he is not through with politics.

"I'm still in the swim and fighting hard," he declared.

It had been widely reported the Missouri senator had declared he would soon retire from public life.

"I won't run for the Senate again, but that doesn't mean I won't remain in public service," he added.

Mention of his possible presidential candidacy brought only a smile.

Legislation designed to aid the farmers is being carried along a futile and unfeasible line, Reed believes.

"The farmers don't need a governmental agency to dispose of their products," he declared.

Trouble in Exports.

"A great part of their troubles come from foreign exports. Under present conditions the farmer sends his products across at no greater profit than he sells them at home. Then when he buys imported goods, he pays a duty of 10 to 75 per cent."

Reed also declared a system should be worked out whereby the farmer could dispose of his products at the place where the surplus is located. This would greatly reduce his expenses the senator said.

The declaration that he is out of politics was made by Senator James A. Reed in an address at a banquet at Detroit Monday night, during which he assailed reform and crank bureaucracies, and asserted they are obtaining a strangle hold on the nation.

During the address, which was termed his farewell message in matters of public policy, the senator declared that the fight against these agencies would be left for others to carry on.

"I am out of politics, so I can speak impartially," he continued. "For twenty-five years I have fought the encroachments of the semi-Socialist, semifeudal idea that government and law, its outward symbol, are instituted and maintained for the purpose of directing the individual's conduct.

"Speaking as Citizen."

"Speaking as a citizen and from the background of my entire career in public life, I wish I could get a message to the American people with all the intensity of conviction possible that we are going to wreck this government and destroy this nation unless we get back to the principle upon which the Constitution was founded, the doctrine of an inalienable right to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness, the right of every man to realize his own ideal without infringement by any other man or set of men."

Reed at that time did not elucidate his statement that he is out of politics.

Garman V. Guthrie

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn V. Guthrie announce the birth of a 10 pound son at St. Francis Hospital, this morning. Mrs. Guthrie will be remembered as Miss Dora Lockhart. The baby has been named Garman V. and is the only grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Guthrie.

Kinney Bill Loses by Two Votes Today

Votes of Senators M. E. Ford and James S. Summers Might Have Saved Measure.

Jefferson City, March 16.—The Kinney bill, making it possible to nominate candidates for state offices and judges of the supreme and appellate courts by the convention system, was killed in the senate today on a reconsideration vote.

Friends of the bill were able to muster only 16 votes today. Eighteen were necessary for passage.

Senator James S. Summers of Jackson County, who favored the bill on engrossment, was out of the chamber when the vote was taken.

Senator M. E. Ford of Nodaway County, another supporter of the measure, did not vote.

The union labor is said to have made a fight on the bill.

SINCLAIR CASE GOES TO JURY

ONLY FIVE QUESTIONS TO DECIDE, JUDGE INSTRUCTS.

TO JAIL IF CONVICTED

Law Makes Sentence of One to Twelve Months Mandatory—Charged With Contempt.

Washington, March 16.—The Sinclair contempt of the senate case was sent to the jury today.

The jurymen are to decide if Harry F. Sinclair, wealthy oil operator and sportsman, is guilty of contempt of the Senate for refusing to answer questions by the Senate oil committee three years ago.

In case of a conviction, a jail sentence is mandatory, the law providing for a fine of from $100 to $1,000 and from one to twelve months in a "common jail."

Justice Hitt informed the jury it had but five questions to decide: Whether Sinclair was summoned before the oil investigating committee; whether he appeared; whether he was sworn; whether the questions were put; and whether he answered.

"The court charges you gentlemen," suggested Hitt, "that if you find all of these questions for your decision are true according to the evidence, then it is your duty under the law to find the defendant guilty."

An Imminent Break With Mexico Denied

U. S. State Department Expresses Hope of Settlement.—Tellez Silent on Way to Washington.

Washington, March 16.—Rumors of an imminent break between the United States and Mexico were countered by a State Department announcement today expressing hope that the dispute could be settled by negotiations.

Secretary Kellogg authorized a statement that there was no danger of war and that this government does not contemplate issuing an ultimatum.

The statement followed several weeks of State Department silence on the Mexican situation and apparent tension on the part of officials here.

Kellogg did not explain today what new factors were responsible for the present optimism, but department officials here clearly reflected the hope of peaceful settlement, expressed by Ambassador Tellez on his departure from Mexico for Washington several days ago.

Diplomatic observers were inclined to disparage any effort to over-emphasize the significance of today's statement at the department.

San Antonio, March 16.—Besieged by reporters when he made his first stop in this country en route to Washington, Manuel C. Tellez, Mexican ambassador to the United States, refused to comment on the diplomatic correspondence between the Mexican government and the State Department.

Tellez admitted he had conferred with President Calles.

Employes on Record Against Five-Day Week

Springfield, Mo., March 16.—Members of the St. Louis and San Francisco Association of Metal Crafts and Car Department employes today are on record against the five-day week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay H. Casteel of Ravenwood were Maryville visitors today.

WOULD OUST PRISON BOARD

REPORT OF SENATE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS REMOVAL.

NINE REASONS GIVEN

Dr. Enloe Declared Dominating Influence of Loose, Unbusinesslike and Extravagant Management.

Jefferson City, March 16.—For nine specific reasons, the Senate investigating committee of the Missouri Legislature today recommended that the Enloe prison board be ousted and another installed in its place.

Senator Frank Hollingsworth, chairman of the committee, wrote the majority report and presented it to the upper house over the attempt of other members to call a vote for reappointment of members of the board.

After setting forth the nine specific reasons for their recommendation, the committeemen concluded their report by urging that the change be made immediately.

"All of the members of the board at this time should be released and a new board placed in charge," the report read. "Their joint and several administrations warrant no other conclusion."

Five Members Affected.

The five board members thus slated for removal are Dr. Cortez Enloe, penal director; William B. McGregor, farms commissioner; Leslie Rudolph, warden; A. H. Steinbeck, paroles commissioner; and T. C. Mosby, commissioner of industries.

The charges against the board, as they were incorporated into the majority report, are as follows:

1. That the charges made in the resolution for investigation have been sustained fully.
2. That Dr. Enloe was and is the dominating influence at the prison, and the other members of the board and heads of departments were mere tools.
3. That the management of the prison has been so loose, inharmonious, unbusinesslike, and devoid of proper attention as to amount in effect to a fraud upon the state.
4. That the management has been guilty of brazen and unbridled favoritism, resulting in great loss to the state, and violation of the statutes.
5. There is an utter lack of harmony among the board members.

"Era of Extravagance."

6. There has been an era of extravagance heretofore unknown in state affairs.
7. The board members are wholly unfit, not qualified or suitable for the grave responsibilities incident to the management of such an institution.
8. There exists between certain dominating board members and prison contractors a conspiracy to deprive the state of the honest and unbiased services of the board members; and to prevent the state from obtaining the advantages of honest, open, free and fair competition in purchases and sales.
9. The repeated refusal of the board to investigate the charges of misconduct and mismanagement openly and definitely lodged against it have wholly destroyed its usefulness and all justification for further confidence in it.

Yeggmen Loot Bank While Town Sleeps

Only Two Residents Of Billings, Mo., Awake Are Gagged and Tied; Posses in Search of Bandits.

Billings, Mo., March 16.—While Billings slept peacefully and after the only two persons awake in the town were securely bound with rope, two yeggmen used three charges of explosives to blow open the safe of the Bank of Billings early today, escaping with approximately $5,000 in currency.

The robbers entered the town about 1:30 a. m., seized the night watchman and tied him to a chair. They then tied up the telegraph operator in the railroad station and proceeded to loot the bank.

When the operator and night watchman managed to release themselves, a posse was hurriedly organized and started after the robber car. No trace of the looters had been reported at noon today.

Weather

Cloudy and somewhat unsettled today; Thursday unsettled and colder.

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THE ONLY DAILY PAPER IN NODAWAY COUNTY.

Former Resident Here Dies in Kansas City

Body of Peter Mergen Will Be Brought to Maryville Friday for Burial.

According to today's Kansas City Times, Peter Mergen, formerly a resident of Maryville, died yesterday in Kansas City. The body will be brought to Maryville for burial and will arrive here Friday.

The notice in the Times was as follows:

"Peter Mergen, 76 years old, formerly of Maryville, Mo., died yesterday at the General hospital. He fell at Twelfth street and Grand avenue February 24 and suffered a fracture of the left hip. Mr. Mergen is survived by his widow, Mrs. Rose Mergen, who formerly was the wife of the late Sergt. James Hogan, the first officer of the city's first "crossing squad," now the traffic department. Mr. Mergen's first wife was a sister of Sergeant Hogan. She died fourteen years ago and four years later Mr. Mergen married the widow of Sergeant Hogan. The funeral will be Friday at Maryville. Mr. Mergen is survived also by a step-daughter, Miss Winifred Hogan, and a son, James Hogan, both of the home, 2628 East Eighth street."

Mr. Mergen was born in the state of Luxemburg, county of Reading, Germany, on Nov. 15, 1850. He came to America in 1868 and located in Nodaway County, on a farm east of Maryville. He resided on the farm about a year, then removed to Maryville and was employed with Hudson & Co., hardware dealers, and then with George Worst. In 1884 he established a greenhouse in Maryville. He was also a coal dealer. He left Maryville several years ago.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"Sunday afternoon wouldn't sound near so lonesome at our house if Papa didn't snore."

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In Elmo on Business.

Virgil Rathbun and W. G. Sawyers were in Elmo today on legal business. They had a civil case in the justice court of J. C. Piper.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Farrell and daughter, Miss Florence Farrell, of Burlington Junction were in Maryville today.

Floyd Van Velson, Harmony; H. H. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Wright, Graham; Van Goslee, Skidmore; and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Shields and son, Maitland, were Maryville visitors today.

Did you get your income tax report in?

It is claimed that in other years the Missouri legislature has done its best work in the closing week of the session. So there's still hope for this one.

"Christ, a Personal Saviour" Is Theme

Hi-Y Club Has Meeting; Members Plan To Attend Conference in St. Joseph, Sunday.

"Christ, A Personal Saviour" was the theme of discussion this morning at the Hi-Y Club meeting at the Maryville High School. Talks on the subject were given by George Epperson, Oatha Colwell, Homer Warner and Robert Wray. Ralph Hudson presided as chairman and devotions were in charge of Pete Dietz.

A series of readings was given by seven boys. The readings were taken from the series "God And You" which is appearing on the front page of the Democrat-Forum and Tribune. These series fitted in the subject discussed in relation to the individual and God.

A number of Hi-Y boys plan to attend the Older Boys Conference to be held this Sunday at the Y. M. C. A. building at St. oseph. The conference starts at 1:30 o'clock. A banquet will be given at 6:30 o'clock. Any older boy is invited to attend.

Knight Templars to Have Inspection Here

Two Officers Of Grand Commandry Will Be In Maryville Monday Night.

Inspection of the Maryville Commandery, No. 40 of the Knights Templar, will be held Monday night at the Masonic Temple, when two officers of the Grand Commandery of the state will be here.

William Y. Bean of Springfield, grand inspector, and Curtis J. Neal of Cape Girardeau, grand commander, of the Knights-Templar of the state, will be the inspecting officers.

They will be honor guests at a dinner to be given at 6:30 o'clock Monday evening in the Masonic Temple dining hall by the local Commandery. The dinner will be served by the Eastern Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Garrett of Quitman were in Maryville today, Mr. Garrett being one of the judges at a debate held at the State Teachers College. Mr. Garrett is superintendent of the Quitman Consolidated Schools.

FOOD SALE
at the Price Furniture Co.
Saturday, March 19.
Given by Auxiliary
Seth Day David Post
V. F. W.

"Make-Up" Produces Figure of Lincoln, Impersonator Explains

"It's a dummy."

"He's got a mask on. See, he doesn't even blink his eyes."

"Whee, he winked at me. He winked at me."

These and other comments are heard each afternoon before the window of the Yehle Dry Goods Co., where C. E. Marquis is giving daily impersonations of Abraham Lincoln.

The figure of Lincoln is neither a dummy nor does it wear a mask. The effect is achieved by the use of a "make-up" that requires more than two hours.

Marquis' face must be broadened and his nose enlarged and its shape changed. Weighing only 129 pounds, the impersonator represents a man who weighed 190 pounds. A large padded coat helps there. He is only five feet nine inches tall, but when he appears in the window he looks Lincoln's six feet four. The wigg adds one inch and he does a "body stretch," the impersonator said.

Mr. Marquis said it was unnecessary for him to build the Lincoln mole on the left cheek. This is a natural possession, he added.

His ears are filled with putty to increase their size. The Wig and whiskers help to improve the impersonation. Abraham Lincoln is the most difficult of all characters to impersonate, according to Mr. Marquis. He had many lines on his face and deep wrinkles. Those are impersonated by Marquis by protruding the lower lip and drawing the facial muscles to the necessary position.

Miles Saunders Here.

Miles G. Saunders of Pueblo, Colo., arrived in Maryville today for a day's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Colby. He had been on a southern trip and stopped over here on his way home. Mr. Saunders was a member of the National Democratic committee during 1920 to 1924.

NODAWAY LODGE NO. 470
A. F. & A. M.
Special Communication
Thursday Night at 7:30.
WORK IN SECOND DEGREE.
H. D. SNYDER, W. M.
L. P. COLVIN, Sec'y.

ANNOUNCEMENT

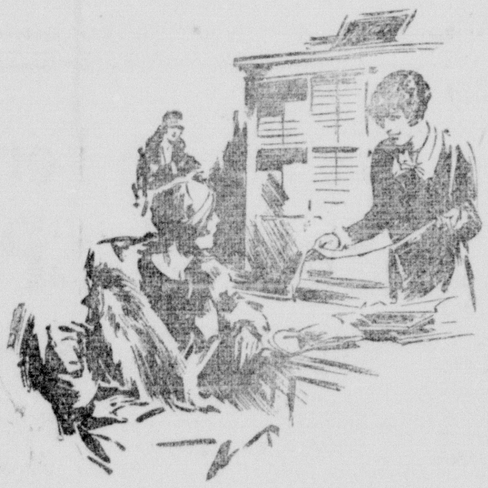
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for
ASSESSOR OF POLK TOWNSHIP
subject to the action of the Democratic Convention March 19.
GEO. H. MEEK

Men's Furnishings at Reduced Prices

The entire stock of Men's Furnishings of the late C. Weaver is being closed out at prices that mean savings to you.

Children's Sweaters, Silk and Wool, $3.50 values, now	$1.50	Men's Cassimer Hose, pair	25c
Men's Lumberjacks, flannels, $3.50 values, now only	$1.50	Men's Silk and Rayon Hose, $1.00 values, 3 pairs for	$1.00
Wool mixed Lumberjacks, only	$1.50	Plenty of heavy weight Overalls for only	$1.00
Boys' good quality mercerized hose	25c	Good quality Athletic Underwear, during this close-out for only	$1.00

F. S. WEAVER
116 West Third Street



"Just as good"
won't do with women shoppers

WOMEN, because they shop, have learned to distinguish values. Only by comparison have they learned of the wide difference in hosiery. They know exactly what they want and substitutes won't do.

So with coffees. Only by comparing their flavors can you choose the one coffee you like best. Then, it is easy to avoid substitutes by always calling for your favorite coffee by brand name.

We could tell you of the wonderful flavor and delicate aroma of Folger's Coffee. How you would enjoy each steaming cup of this blend of the world's finest coffees.

Instead, we ask you to compare Folger's Coffee with the brand you are now using by making the Folger Coffee Test. It is the logical, easy way to shop for coffee.

The Folger Coffee Test: Drink Folger's Coffee tomorrow morning; the next morning drink the coffee you have been using; the third morning drink Folger's again. You will decidedly favor one brand or the other. The Best Coffee Wins. That's fair, isn't it?

The first thought in the morning
FOLGER'S *Coffee*
Established 1850

See that the name Folger's is on the can. Make it your buying guide for coffee. It is the mark of distinction.

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A Mail Carrier's Experience with ISO-VIS

Mud was up to the hubs for miles—the car had to plough through on low—yet the motor was not heated—*because the engine was lubricated with Iso-Vis.* This experience is told in a letter received by the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) from a rural mail carrier.

Charleston, Mo., Jan. 3, 1927.

Standard Oil Company, St. Louis, Mo.
Gentlemen:

I feel that I owe your Company a letter of praise for the perfect satisfaction your new oil Iso-Vis has given me. I am a rural carrier and the time I changed to this new oil, the roads were in the worst condition they have been in for years. I drove my car in first and second gear with mud up to the hubs for miles without heating my motor the least bit. I am also having a much easier time starting as the motor does not get stiff with Iso-Vis. I having been using Red Crown-Ethyl gas ever since it appeared in ourfilling stations here.

The two products make a splendid combination.

I am a satisfied customer.
Louis E. Edward, Rural Carrier No. 2

Thousands of letters of appreciation have come to the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) since Iso-Vis was put on the market—letters telling of actual experiences, like the one above.

A motor oil so extraordinary in the results it gives that people voluntarily sit down and write enthusiastic letters of praise to the Company who produced it is worth trying out!

Iso-Vis has revolutionized lubrication. It makes for easier starting—overcomes dilution troubles—and gives efficient lubrication every mile from the first to the thousandth! That is why enthusiasm over Iso-Vis is so general. Try it once and you'll see!

Iso-Vis "F" for Fords.

At Any Standard Oil Company (Indiana) Service Station or at Any Licensed Garage

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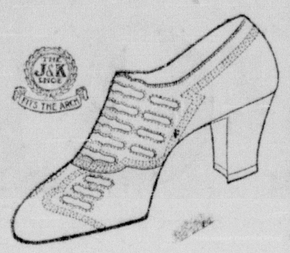

This ideal semi-dress Oxford will certainly please the wearer. It has the Cuban heel, and is kid lined from toe to heel.

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American Fence

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The dollar's worth of fence that lasts five years costs 20 cents a year. The dollar's worth of fence that lasts twenty years costs five cents a year. It's true economy to buy only the best fence—full weight steel—full length rolls, and long life galvanizing.

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Notice of Annual Meeting

of the

STOCKHOLDERS

of the

Maryville Homestead and Loan Assn.

FRIDAY, MARCH 18.

at the office of the Secretary, 107 West Fourth Street.

You are urged to vote some time during the day. Be at the above place at 9 a. m. if you want to help nominate. Three directors are to be elected. Other business may be transacted.

SOCIETY

Ninety and Nine Club.

The Ninety and Nine Club will meet at the Lasher school Friday night. Members of group A are to furnish fruit salad and group C, cake.

Westminster Guild.

Eighteen members attended last night's meeting of the Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian Church at the home of Mrs. J. W. Harper on East First street. Miss Lucille Brumbaugh was the assisting hostess. The devotions were in charge of Mrs. W. N. Dewar, and Mrs. W. H. Allen was the leader of the lesson. Refreshments were served during the social hour. Mrs. C. P. Fryer and Miss Margaret Davison will be hostesses at the next meeting April 5 at the Fryer home on West First street. Mrs. Karl Zimmerman will be study leader.

M. I. Circle.

Mrs. Robert Lyle was hostess at the regular meeting of the Mutual Improvement Circle yesterday afternoon. The hostess was the devotional leader and in answer to roll call, the members gave current events. The afternoon's program on "South America" was as follows: "Brazil and Its Inhabitants," Mrs. J. M. Hantze; "Resources," Mrs. J. J. Heifner; "Bolivia," Mrs. G. J. Moore. Miss L. Anna Owens gave as a special number a reading entitled "Mad Marie." Mrs. Louisa L. Catterson served as program critic. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. I. E. Tulloch March 29 when the third program on "South America" will be given.

Attend Reception for Mrs. Reeve.

Mrs. Albert H. Reeve of Philadelphia, national president of the Congress of Parents and Teachers, was the guest of the St. Joseph Council of the national congress at a reception yesterday afternoon in the crystal room of Hotel Robidoux. The following members of the Maryville organization attended the reception: Mrs. F. A. Bush, president of the local P.-T. A., Mrs. E. L. Wilson, state chairman of parent-teacher work in churches, Mrs. L. L. St. Clair, state chairman of work in colleges, Mrs. Hugh Strong, Mrs. J. C. Godbey, Mrs. Steve Donahue, Mrs. C. H. Withington, Mrs. W. A. Miller and Mrs. L. A. Myers. Mrs. Paul Campbell and Mrs. Fred Stalling of the Barnard P.-T. A. were also present. Miss Ruth Bush of Maryville was one of a group of girls who assisted in serving.

Mrs. Reeves spoke concerning the objectives of the national congress. These, she said, were based upon the seven cardinal objectives of education as determined by the National Educational association. They include: Sound health, worthy home management, mastery of the tools and technics of learning, useful citizenship, vocational effectiveness, wise use of leisure and ethical character.

"To fit the child for life," Mrs. Reeve said, "he must be trained on these seven points. It is not to be expected that the school teachers can do the work alone, but the parents of the children must co-operate and do their part in the home training. Members of the parent-teacher congress have a real responsibility and to attend the meetings of the organization must demand more and give more than mere sociability. Child-welfare is the basis for the work of the national congress."

Mrs. Reeves showed how the national program was but the program of each member, for it is based upon practice rather than theory. The program is arranged in the national convention which is open to every individual member. The national board merely acts upon the decisions of the entire convention, she said.

In explaining the first objective, Mrs. Reeve said that every child has a right to sound health habits. Mothers should see that their children are physically ready for the health program of the schools at the time they enter school. The pre-school work provides for this, she said.

Two National Officers Coming.

Installation of the Alpha Epsilon Chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma, national sorority, will be held Friday, Saturday and Sunday at Residence Hall. The installation team consists of four persons, two of whom are national officers. There will be no formal program. The ceremonies start at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon and at 7 o'clock Saturday night a banquet will be served. The organization which is to become Sigma Sigma Sigma is made up of members of Sigma Delta Chi, local sorority. Miss Nell Hudson, Miss Hettie M. Anthony and Miss Lucille Starr of the State Teachers College are the sponsors. The initiation ceremony will be held for twelve alumnae, twelve active and thirteen pledges. Miss Loretta Jones is chapter president. The installing officers will be Mrs. Homer Ball of Holden, Mo., national treasurer; Mrs. William Stryker of Parsons, Kan., national vice-president, Miss Stella Thompson of the Mu Chapter, Warrensburg, and Miss Viola Magee of the Nu Chapter, Kirksville.

Tourist Program.

Members of the tourist department of the Twentieth Century Club concluded the year's study of India yesterday afternoon at the regular meeting at the home of Mrs. R. C. Person. The program was in charge of Mrs. Edgar D. Arnold, department chairman. Mrs. H. W. Meek discussed the "Great Cities of India," and Mrs. C. J. Vance's paper on "Current Events" was read by Mrs. C. E. Stillwell. There was a general discussion of economic conditions and industries in India. The committee on suggestive program for next year reported. The department will study China and neighboring islands with a continuation of current events. Several numbers on domestic science will also be arranged. Officers will be elected at the April meeting to be held with Mrs. C. H. Withington. Members of the nominating committee are Mrs. R. L. McDougal, Mrs. Harry Todd and Mrs. E. L. Wilson.

All Day Meeting on Basket Making

Extension Worker Give Instruction Here Today; Ten Organizations Represented.

A meeting to give instruction in basket-making was held at the office of J. Ross Fleetwood, county agricultural agent, today. Miss Julia Rocheford, extension specialist of the University of Missouri, was in charge of the work.

Among those representing ten clubs who attended the meeting this morning were:

Mrs. Charles Birkenholz, Mrs. I. W. Dyer, Mrs. Harry Lett, Xenia B. T. W. Club, Hopkins.

Miss Chloe Riggle, and Mrs. J. D. Mutz, both of rural route four, Maryville; and Miss Minnie Fox, Skidmore, Swallow C. C. Club.

Mrs. Hubert Garrett, Mrs. Mary L. Brooks, Quitman, Eastern Star.

Miss Roberta Freece, Maryville, and Miss Martha Freece, Myrtle Tree, L. A. W. Club.

Mrs. M. M. Mowry, Graham, Embroidery Club.

Mrs. Clyde Goodpasture, Graham, Lyle Community Club.

Mrs. Phil H. Corken, Mrs. John Greenley Burlington Junction, C. C. Club.

Mrs. Will Job, jr., Maryville, Lasher Club.

Mrs. E. L. Dakan, Maryville, Rockford.

Miss Alpha O'Day, Maryville, Myrtle Tree Club, was a visitor.

3 H. S. Teachers Serve as Judges

Three teachers of the Maryville High School went to Bedford, Ia., last night where they judged a district contest held there in oration and declamation. The teachers were Misses Augusta Quell, Mabel Messick and Anna R. Crane. The judges gave an unanimous decision to the first and second winner in oration and voted alike on the first and second winner in declamation.

Land Near Hopkins Sold.

Harley R. Bebout of Hopkins today sold to Bertha A. Jeffers eighty acres of land for $1 and other valuable consideration. The land is located two miles west of Hopkins.

THE GREAT WAR
TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.
(By United Press)

MARCH 16

The Romanoff dynasty ends in Russia as the former Czar relinquishes his son's right to the throne and Grand Duke Michael abdicates as regent.

Republic announced and constitutional assembly convoked by provisional government.

AUNT HET

"Pa ain't stuck up, but he likes to brag about the mean things he could of done in his time if he hadn't been too good to do 'em."

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TO ORGANIZE COW TESTING

NINETEEN FARMERS HAVE SIGNED UP.

TO MEET TOMORROW

Officers And Board Of Directors Will Be Elected In Fleetwood's Office; State Man Here.

Nodaway County farmers will organize a cow testing association here tomorrow.

A. F. Stephens, extension specialist of the department of dairy husbandry, will be in Maryville tomorrow for the meeting and will remain here Friday, too, to complete the organization.

Officers and a board of directors will be elected at the meeting tomorrow which will be held at the office of J. Ross Fleetwood, county agent, at one o'clock in the afternoon.

Along with the completion of the organization the hiring of a cow tester will be considered.

Nineteen farmers have signed up for the association. They are: E. C. Moberly, The Northwest Missouri State Teachers College, under the direction of R. A. Kinnaird, E. E. Saunders, Denton Deo Belt, E. F. Scott, A. B. Dowden, D. A. Kingery, John T. Wells and son, M. A. Brown, L. E. Flanary, Geo. W. Stafford, Maryville; John Greeley, J. H. Houston, D. C. Owens and son, L. T. Murphy, Burlington Junction; I. V. Moore and J. E. Porter, Ravenwood; Ned Smith, Clearmont; Walter Riekman, Hopkins.

The membership in the association cannot exceed twenty-five, J. Ross Fleetwood explained, in order that the tester can make the rounds and complete his reports within the month. A few more members could be taken into the association, but only a few, the agricultural agent said.

College H. S. Seniors Will Present Play

Specialties Also Will Be Given at the Auditorium, Tomorrow Night; Program Starts at 8 o'clock.

A three-act play, "Adam and Eve," written by Guy Bolton and George Middleton, will be presented at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening at the College auditorium by the College High School seniors.

Besides the play the other entertainment will be song specialties and music by the College orchestra.

Mrs. Mary Esther Murphy O'Banion is directing the play and Miss Elizabeth Mills is the music director.

The cast of characters of "Adam and Eva," are Floyd Wyman, Eleanor Montgomery, Paul Shonley, Ruth Hinton, May Hull, Hazel Carr, Floyd Hall, David Belt, Lawrence Sherlock and Thomas Lawrence.

The specialties include a reading by Ruth Hinton; a boys' quartet composed of Carl Smith, Paul Shonley, Lawrence Sherlock and David Belt; a girls' quartet composed of Beatrice Cox, Rebecca Shell, Helen Holt and Arrie Anna Freeland; and a girls' chorus of Edna Morton, Thelma Jackson, Winifred Baker, Lumeda Nelson, Amanda Knizley, Thelma Tompkins and Nellie Cochran.

The public is invited to attend the performance. No admission will be charged.

Returns from Denver.

Mrs. Aaron Linville of Skidmore returned last night from Denver, Colo., where she visited her daughter, Miss Lucille Linville, for two weeks.

This and That

The shrubs around the library are bursting into bud.

There is no thrill like getting a piece of antique furniture that "everybody" was after.

"Spring has cub,"
The poet said,
As he asked for a derrick
To lift his head.

Familiar words to hubby: "I don't really need it, but it was just such a bargain I couldn't" etc.

Spring is here,
I feel so queer;
It's just like beer—
So far, yet near.

Telephone, telephone,
You ring and fairly shriek;
I think that I won't answer,
But it might be a shiek.

Spring has came. The men are whittling in the courthouse yard and the women are cleaning house. That's the way the Indians used to do. Let the women do all the work.

FOR KIDDIES AND BOYS

KAYNEE

SUITS AND BLOUSES

See our fine stock of Kaynee suits and blouses for kiddies and small boys. We have the finest lot of these garments that has been in our store for a long time. The material is of the very best and the colors and color combinations are very appealing.

Priced so that you can well afford to buy the child several outfits.

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No wonder women everywhere prefer to drive this new European-type, high-speed light car.

It was designed for safety ... for easy parking ... for driving in the thick of congested city traffic.

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4-wheel brakes ... 30 miles on a gallon ... low gravity center ... these are the features that are winning this great nation-wide good-will.

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Make this store your sport goods headquarters. Baseball, track, tennis, swimming, in fact, you will find equipment for all sports in our department.

It's Kodak time. We have Brownies priced as low as $2.00 up.

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FINE SILVERWARE AND INDIVIDUAL PIECES ARE A SOURCE OF PRIDE

The wife or hostess who has a distinctive silverware set or beautiful individual pieces is always proud to display them to her friends and guests. Good silverware is not a matter of fancy prices but rather a discriminating judgment in purchasing the patterns. In fact many of our most beautiful designs are of very low cost. But you are sure, when you purchase of us, that the silverware is of unexcelled quality and approved workmanship.

We invite you to inspect our beautiful silver patterns and also to visit our interesting Gift Shop.

H. L. Raines

Jeweler Ye Old Town Gift Shoppe Optometrist
First Door North of the Farmers Trust Co.

March Dollar Sale

If you do not these monthly it is your loss money-saving once every m take advant

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

TOILET SOAPS — 5 cakes of the famous toilet soaps, Woodbury's, Cuticura, Packer's Tar, etc., will be only $1

COTTON BROADCLOTH — The beautiful highly mercerized cotton broadcloths, 1...t color, in either stripe patterns or plain colors, now only 40c per yard or 3 yards only $1

MIDDY TWILL — 36 inch pure white Middy Twill, an excellent quality, a real bargain, now 4 yards only $1

IMITATION BUTYCHYNE — This self-stripe material used for bloomers, slips, etc., looks like real butychyne, now 4 yards only $1

36 INCH OUTING — Extra fine quality 36 inch dark and light colored outing, 7 yards only $1

WOODBURY'S FACE POWDER — This famous face powder in all the shades, 50c size, very special, now 3 boxes only $1

QUEEN SATIN—This is a 36 inch material that is half cotton, washable, in all the popular shades and one of the most wonderful soft materials for slips, bloomers, teddies, etc., that is on the market; don't fail to see this wonderful new material at per yard only $1

TERRY CLOTH — A large selection of patterns of this very popular curtain material 36 inches wide, only 66 2-3c per yard or 1½ yards only $1

CURTAIN NETS — One lot of lace curtain nets, 36 inches wide will be 4 yards only $1

STEVENS' CRASH — This well known brand of all linen crash in bleached or unbleached regular 35c and 40c quality will be 4 yards only $1

PILLOW TUBING — Here is a real bargain in a full bleached pillow tubing, 36 inches wide, 4 yards only $1

SLIPTEX — This is a new lining material made especially for princess slips, because the dress will not stick to it and will slip just like it was an all silk satin, very special now 2½ yards only $1

KOTEX — This famous sanitary napkin, 40c box of one dozen or 2½ dozen only $1

CURTAIN NETS — One lot of 45 inch beautiful quality curtain nets, worth up to 75c per yard, will be 2 yards only $1

LA JERZ SILKS — 36 inch all silk La Jerz silk which is so popular now for dresses, slips, bloomers, etc., 7 plain colors to select from, a regular $2.00 value now $1.50 per yard or 2-3 yard only $1

45c NAINSOOK — Our regular 39c and 45c Nainsook, this is a beautiful quality and a real bargain, now 3 yards only $1

CROCHET COTTON — Klostersilk or Coats' crochet cotton in either white or colors, will be 14 balls for $1

UMBRELLAS—Buy a new umbrella now and save money. Your choice of any of our fine umbrellas at 1-4 off. For every $4 you spend for a new fancy rain or shine umbrella, you will get off $1

APRON FROCKS — Here are two big bargains in cover-all apron dresses made of fast colored gingham and prints.
One big assortment 2 for .....
One big assortment each only $1

ALL WOOL FLANNEL — Here is a real bargain in an absolutely all wool French Flannel, 34 inches wide, in most any color you could desire, ½ yard only $1

58 INCH DAMASK — Here is a real bargain in a beautiful mercerized table damask, pure white, 40c per yard or 2½ yards only $1

CREPE BACK SATIN — This beautiful quality Crepe-back satin, all silk, 40 inches wide, in all the wanted colors, it is so popular this season, 1-3 yard only $1

WOOL DRESS GOODS — One lot of fancy wool dress goods in stripes and checks, etc., 54 inches wide, worth up to 85 per yard will be closed out, ½ yd. only $1

5 YARDS DRESS GINGHAM — 5 yards of our very fine quality 32 inch Zephyr ginghams, colors absolutely fast, in a large range of patterns to select from; a real bargain now, 5 yards only $1

FACE POWDER — One big lot of our regular 50c face powders, will be 3 boxes only $1

MIRROLENE — This is a beautiful satin charmeuse, regular 75c value, very popular for slips, bloomers, etc., now 50c per yard or 2 yards only $1

MESSALINE — 36 inch all silk Messaline, any color you could desire, an excellent quality will be $1.50 per yard or 2-3 yard only $1

PLAIN GINGHAM — Your choice of all our regular 29c and 35c plain colored gingham in most any color you could desire will be 5 yards only $1

FINE LINEN DAMASK — The very finest quality of absolutely all linen bleached table damask, 72 inches wide, our $3.00 quality will be ½ yard only $1

CREPE DE CHINE — Excellent quality 40 inch all silk crepe de chine, any color, now $1.50 per yard or 2-3 yard only $1

7 YARDS DRESS GINGHAM — Very fine 32 inch sun and tub proof dress gingham in excellent range of patterns will be 7 yards only $1

4 PAIR LADIES' HOSE — 4 pair ladies' lisle hose, either regular or outsize will be only $1

KLEENEX — This very sanitary and absorbent cold cream remover, now three boxes only $1

WEARWELL SHEETING — During this Three Day Dollar Sale you can buy this famous Wearwell sheeting, the kind that is made with tape edge and will not tear, at the lowest prices they have been for years.
7-4 or 63 inch will be 3 yards—
8-4 or 72 inch will be 2⅞ yards—
9-4 or 81 inch will be 2½ yards—
10-4 or 90 inch will be 2 yards $1

WOOL DRESS GOODS — The very newest wool dress goods on the market will be included in this sale. 54 inch clothes such as Kasha, Twillene, Charmeen, Poiretsheen, etc., worth up to $5.75 per yard will be sold now 1-3 yard only $1

GINGHAM HOUSE DRESSES — Gingham house dresses made of tub and sun proof gingham, neatly trimmed, now each only $1

12 YARDS UNBLEACHED MUSLIN — 12 yards of a good quality 36 inch unbleached muslin, now only $1

KHAKI — 32 inch extra heavy weight khaki cloth used so extensively for all kinds of boys' clothing now 3 yards only $1

WHITE LINNO — This beautiful white cloth comes in several widths and is used extensively for table cloths, napkins, nurses' aprons, butcher aprons, etc., will be as follows:
36 inch width, 4 yards only .....
45 inch width, 3 yards only .....
54 inch width, 2 yards only .....
63 inch width, 1½ yards only $1

2 BATH TOWELS — Beautiful quality extra large size bath towels, 24x48 inches, double thread construction, colored borders, in green, rose, blue or gold, this towel is well worth $1.00 each, in a regular way, very special for this sale will be 2 for only $1

MUSLIN — "Pride of Dixie" bleached or unbleached muslin, 36 inches wide, this is an extra heavy weight and a real bargain now 9 yards only $1

TRICOLETTE — 54 inch tricolette made especially for princess slips, this is made tubular and all you need to do is buy the length and put on shoulder straps, and you will have a silk slip, only per yard $1.50 or 2-3 yard only $1

SILK AND COTTON CREPE — A most beautiful range of new patterns in a beautiful quality of silk and cotton crepe de chine, will be 1½ yards only $1

40 INCH MUSLIN — This is a beautiful quality of unbleached 40 inch muslin, two widths make a full width sheet, the lowest price which we have ever quoted on this quality of muslin, 12½c per yd or 8 yards only $1

DOROTHY PRINTS — This is a beautiful absolutely fast colored print in all the new dainty patterns now only 4 yards $1

COMBINATION — A combination of two bottles of bath salts and one pound can of dusting powder put up in a beautiful box now per set only $1

LADIES' BROWN HOSE — One lot of ladies' beautiful quality of lisle thread brown colored stockings regular 50c values will be closed out now on account of the color, 5 pair only $1

NODLAND SHEETING — This is a full bleached 9-4 width sheeting and compares very favorably with the Pepperall quality which will be sold during this Dollar Sale at 3 yards only $1

BLUE DENIM — The extra good quality heavy weight, regular blue denim, very special, 4 yards only $1

RUFFLED CURTAINS — Ruffled curtains made of good quality swiss in plain or checked patterns, tie-backs with every pair of curtains, now per pair only $1

3 BATH TOWELS — Here is one of the biggest values we have ever offered in regular 50c bath towels, will be sold during this sale 3 for only $1

SHEETS — 81x90 inch full bleached seamless sheets, extra fine quality, absolutely free from starch, the biggest bargain we have ever offered, now each only $1

COLORED LINNO — This is a beautiful highly mercerized material used so extensively for all kinds of sport dresses, comes in all the new plain colors and absolutely guaranteed fast, will be 2½ yards only $1

4 PILLOW CASES — Excellent quality pillow cases, 42x36 inches in size, full bleached, absolutely free from starch, all ready to use, 4 for only $1

SILK HOSE — This excellent quality of ladies' silk hose, one of the best $1.00 grades on the market which we have always sold at 98c will be 68c per pair or 1½ pair only $1

DRESS SATIN — Here is one of the biggest bargains we have ever offered in a beautiful quality of silk satin, 40 inches wide in black, jungle green, claret red, and rustic brown, now ½ yard only $1

BATH TOWELS — One lot of small size bath towels with colored borders, will be 10c each or 10 for only $1

54 INCH TABLE PADDING — Extra heavy felt table padding, a real bargain now 1 1-3 yard only $1

HALF LINEN CRASH — Here is a real bargain in an extra heavy weight half linen crash toweling in either bleached or unbleached now only 7 yards $1

RICKRACK BRAID — White rickrack braid, fine mercerized quality, 6 yard bolts, all sizes, now your choice 5c per bolt or 20 bolts $1

FANCY BATH TOWELS — Extra large size in fancy colored bordered bath towels, heavy weight, regular 69c and 75c values, will be 2 towels only $1

TOOTH BRUSHES — 2 of the famous Rubberset or Prophylactic tooth brushes, now only $1

SILK UNDERWEAR — Our entire stock of silk underwear will be reduced 20%. For every $5.00 you spend for silk underwear you will get off $1

BED PILLOWS — A good large size fine quality feather bed pillow during this sale, each only $1

THINNEST COMPACTS — This very popular extra thin Trejur compact in silver cases, will be 3 for only $1

A. C. A. TICKING — The very best quality of bed ticking, the kind that will hold feathers, will be 4 yards only $1

GEORGETTE CREPE — 40 inch Georgette crepe in a large range of colors, very fine quality will be 2-3 yard only $1

TABLE OIL CLOTH — Very best quality table oil cloth in either white or colors will be 4 yards only $1

ANDERSON'S PRINTS — 36 inch Wm. Anderson's English Prints, the lowest price that these prints were ever offered, will be only 40c yd., or 2½ yds., only $1

NAPKINS — All our napkins will be sold at 1-4 off. For every $4.00 you spend for napkins during this sale you will get off $1

PETER PAN GINGHAM — Plain colored Peter Pan fast colored gingham, regular 59c value very special now 2½ yards only $1

SILK GLOVES — One lot of ladies' silk gloves last season's styles worth $2.00 and $2.50 per pair will be closed out at per pair only $1

RAYON BLOOMERS — An excellent quality in ladies' silk Rayon bloomers in all the popular colors now per pair only $1

DRESSES — Just as an inducement for you to buy a new dress during these Three Days Sale we will give you a discount of 10 per cent on any dress in the store. For every $10.00 you spend for a new dress you will get off

COATS — Buy a new spring coat during this Three Days Sale and save 10 per cent. For every $10.00 you spend for a new coat you will get off

KIMONOS — Your choice of any silk or cotton Kimono in our store now at exactly ½ price. For every $2.00 you spend for a new kimono you will get off

PRINTED CREPE DE CHINE — One lot of very newest patterns in 40 inch all silk printed crepe de chine now ½ yard only $1

JAPANESE LUNCH CLOTHS — Blue and White Japanese lunch cloths, the kind that always wash well and look well in either 54 or 60 inch squares now each only $1

MISSES' SILK HOSE — One lot of misses' pure thread silk derby ribbed silk hose in black, brown, and white, which we are very anxious to close out now 3 pair only $1

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DIAPER CLOTH — 27 inch very best quality soft spun diaper cloth will be 4 yards only $1

FIBRE SILK HOSE — Here is a real bargain in a ladies' silk hose with a long fibre boot and lisle top that is guaranteed to give satisfaction in every way, comes in all the new popular colors, very special 3 pair only $1

CHEVIOT SHIRTING — An excellent quality of cheviot shirting in plain blue or plain gray or stripe patterns will be 7 yards only $1

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MERCERIZED TABLE DAMASK — 70 inch mercerized table damask with beautiful blue, pink or gold three inch border now 66 2-3c cents per yard or 1½ yards only $1

JERSEY TUBING — 36 inch silk or Rayon jersey tubing which is so popular for underwear, vests, bloomers, etc., in all the light Pastel shades now per yard only $1

36 INCH RAYON — These beautiful popular dress materials that look like pure silk in a large range of checked and plain colors will be 2 yards only $1

27 INCH WOOL FLANNEL — This beautiful quality all wool French flannel in popular colors, will be per yard only $1

ALL WOOL SERGE — 36 inch absolutely all wool serge, all the popular colors, only 66 2-3c per yard or 1½ yards only $1

27 INCH WHITE OUTING FLANNEL — Here is a real bargain in 27 inch pure white outing flannel, 7 yards only $1

COATS' THREAD — The very best spool cotton thread on the market will be 3 spools for 10c or 30 spools for $1

PAJAMA CLOTH — 40 inch Pajama checked material in white and all the dainty colors will be 4 yards only $1

TABLE PADDING — 54 inch quilted table padding, pure white, very heavy quality now only $1.50 per yard or 2-3 yard only $1

BODY TALCUM — Full pound can body talcum powder in a beautiful lithograph round can, now 3 cans only $1

LISTERINE — The regular 50c size bottle of Listerine will be 3 bottles only $1

TOILET WATER — The world's famous Pinaud's French Toilet Water, per bottle only $1

40 INCH WAGON CANVAS — Fine quality, 40 inch wagon canvas, ten ounce, 3 yards only $1

KIMONA CREPE — These beautiful kimona crepes in the very finest quality, regular 45c grade, now 3 yards only $1

SATEEN — Here is a beautiful quality, fine mercerized sateen, 36 inches wide, all colors, 4 yards only $1

4 PAIR CHILDREN'S STOCKINGS — Here is a real bargain in children's hose, derby ribbed, in all the wanted colors, the kind that will wear, 4 pair only $1

ALL LINEN DAMASK — Here is a real bargain in absolutely all linen table damask, 70 inches wide, per yard only $1

LADIES' PRINCESS SLIPS — Ladies' princess slips in either pink or white, good quality, each only $1

PONGEE — The very best quality of twelve momie Japanese Pongee in natural color, 33 inches wide, 60c per yard or 1 2-3 yards only $1

ROYAL SOCIETY PACKAGES — One lot of discontinued Royal Society packages now ½ price. For every $2.00 you spend for Royal Society packages you will get off $1

CHAMOISETTE GLOVES — The very latest styles in fancy cuff chamoisette gloves, our regular $1.25 or $1.50 values per pair only $1

TOOTH BRUSHES — Here is a real bargain in a regular 25c tooth brush, during these three days sale will be 6 for only $1

UNDERWEAR MATERIALS — One big lot of fine underwear materials, in all the new dainty colors such as pink, white, peach, orchid and flesh, worth 65c to 75c per yard will be sold at 3 yards only $1

HANDBAGS — Here is a real bargain in the newest style ladies' leather handbags, a wonderful quality, now each only $1
(All other handbags during this sale ¼ off).

TOOTH PASTE — Here is a real bargain in the famous Pebeco or Pepsodent tooth paste, 3 for only $1

RUBBER APRONS — Rubber aprons in pretty light or dark shades which are so useful and handy to wear around the house, will be 2 for $1

TAKATA SUITING — This is a beautiful highly mercerized absolutely fast color suiting all the new shades, looks like a heavy weight Rajah silk, will be 66 2-3c per yard or 1½ yards only $1

RADIUM SILK—This silk which is so popular for bloomers, slips and all kinds of underwear. All colors, including plenty of black and white, 36 inches wide, every thread pure silk at the low price now 1 1-4 yards only $1

RIPPELETTE — This is a beautiful crepe, cotton material made especially for children's school dresses and does not need any ironing, a regular 39c yd. is now 5 yards only $1

COLORED MARQUISETTE — Here is a real bargain in a 36 inch curtain marquisette with colored checks or barred in pink, gold and blue, a real bargain at 4 yards only $1

WINSOR CREPE — This wonderful material in all the dainty plain colors and fancy colors, used so extensively for underwear, nightgowns, etc., will be 4 yards only $1

HALF WOOL GOODS — These cloths are 36 inches wide and made especially for children's school dresses, and come in little check patterns, a real bargain now 3 yards only $1

BOSTON BAGS — These very popular bags made of black fibroid which will wear as long as leather and always look better, made with snap top or Zip per top, will be each only $1

BEDSPREADS — Buy a new bedspread now and save 20 per cent. For every $5.00 you spend for a new bedspread, you will get off $1

MISSES' WOOL HOSE — One lot of children's and misses' absolutely all wool hose in either black or brown will be closed out now at the end of the season, 3 pair only $1

ROMPERS — One small lot of children's rompers and play suits will be closed out at 2 for only $1

COLORED BORDERED DAMASK — Very beautiful quality of colored bordered mercerized table damask pure white with 4 inch colored border, a real bargain now 2 yards only $1

HAIR NETS — The very best quality of hair net made is the Carmen, every net is guaranteed to be perfect, either double or single mesh, will be sold 12 nets only $1

KID GLOVES — One lot of ladies' kid gloves, mostly gauntlet, make excellent driving gloves, regular $4.00 and $4.50 values, now per pair only $1

LINEN CRASH — Absolutely all linen unbleached crash toweling, 6 yards only $1

LADIES' KNIT UNIONSUITS — Your choice of our ladies' knit union suits, summer weight, in regular $1.50 and $2.00 qualities will be each only $1

LADIES' UNION SUITS — Ladies' summer weight union suit, made bodice style, umbrella knee, closed, 3 for only $1
Same style union suits with silk stripe will be 2 for $1

TALCUM POWDER — Palm Olive talcum powder, in six different odors will be 8 cans only $1

BEAD NECKLACES — One big lot of fancy necklaces, worth up to $3.75 each will be closed out at each only $1

WHITE IVORY — Our entire stock of white ivory will be closed out at exactly ½ price. For every $2.00 you spend for white ivory you will get off $1

MULSIFIED COCOANUT OIL — This very popular oil for shampooing now 3 bottles for $1

BEACH CLOTH — This beautiful suiting, absolutely fast color, in all the plain colors, will be 2 yards only $1

CHEESE CLOTH — 36 inch excellent quality cheese cloth, full bleached, will be 15 yards only $1

FANCY SCARFS — Buy one of these new popular fancy scarfs now and save money. For every $4.00 you spend for a new scarf you will get off $1

MADRAS SHIRTING — Here is a real bargain in a beautiful light colored madras shirting, the very newest shirting patterns, 32 inches wide, regular 65c value, 3 yards only $1

30 INCH COTTON FLANNEL — 30 inch cotton flannel that is the proper width for diapers, full bleached, and excellent quality, 4 yards only $1

DRESS LINEN — The very best quality of absolutely fast color, non-shrinkable dress linen, will be 75c per yard or 1 1-3 yard only $1

PEGGY PRINTS — This is a beautiful broadcloth finish material, 32 inches wide in all the new patterns, during this sale will be 5 yards only $1

PROPHYLACTIC BRUSHES — These very durable brushes in either hair brushes or hand brushes if you buy one of these they will last you a lifetime, now each only $1

SILKOLINE — 36 inch Silkolines in a variety of patterns and styles to select from will be 16 2-3c per yard or 6 yards only $1

BRASSIERES — Ladies' brassieres, all sizes, 32 to 44, basket weave material, back fastening, now 4 for only $1

36 INCH NAINSOOK — An excellent quality of 36 inch nainsook, very special for these three days sale, 5 yards only $1

TOILET WATER — One big lot of $1.50 toilet water, these are the large size bottles, in all the fine odors, will be each only $1

UMBRELLAS — Here is a real bargain in a ladies' black umbrella, a regular $1.50 quality will be each only $1

CANTON CREPE — All silk 40 inch Canton Crepe, one of the very best qualities on the market, in all colors, 1-3 yard only $1

PERCALE — The very best standard quality percale in a large range of both light and dark colors, will be 7 yards only $1

APRON GINGHAM — 10 yards of the very best Amoskeag apron check gingham for only $1

CRETONNE — One big lot of cretonne, regular 39c and 50c qualities, will be closed out 4 yards only $1

BUTYCHYNE — This beautiful self-stripe material used so extensively for bloomers, slips, etc., now only 2½ yards for $1

LINEN SHEETING — This beautiful fine quality linen sheeting, full 90 inches or 2½ yards wide, our regular $5.00 quality will be 1-3 yard only $1

DAISY MUSLIN — This is one of the finest qualities, full bleached muslins on the market and is known by every housekeeper, 7 yards only $1

JAPANESE CREPE — An almost endless variety of colors of this most popular crepe, 33 inches wide, at the ridiculously low price of 5 yards only $1

ROMPER CLOTH — 4 yards of our famous romper cloth which is used so extensively for children's clothes, will be 4 yards only $1

FRINGED CURTAINS — Here is a real bargain in Nottingham curtains; trimmed with boullion fringe, these are worth $3.00 pair, now ½ pair only $1

FIGURED SATEEN — These beautiful fine quality sateens used so extensively for linings, etc., worth from 75c to $1.00 per yard will be sold at 2 yards only $1

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NEA FICTION

by Carolyn Wells

WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE. . . .

Death strikes GARRENTT FOLSOM while bathing at Ocean Town, N. J. After being perfunctorily examined by a doctor, the body is brought to the Hoted Majusaca, where an inquiry is started.

Folsom's bathing companions had been ROGER NEVILLE, MRS. BARNABY, and CARMELITA VALDIN. It is established that Folsom, just before his death, had been standing next to NED BARRON, known as the copper king.

Then the startling announcement is made that Folsom had been stabbed to death in the water. ROSS, his valet, is questioned, as are Barron and his wife, but no light is shed on the mystery.

ANASTASIA FOLSOM, eccentric and masterful sister of the dead man, arrives and takes command. At the inquest it is established that the death weapon was a pichaq, an Oriental knife, and that it and its seabbard had been purchased on the boardwalk.

Some suspicion attaches to one CROYDON SEARS, who is a collector of curious bladed weapons, and Anastasia asks TITUS RIGGS, an architect, to try to solve the murder.

It is also established that one CROYDON SEARS is a fancier of curious knives. Anastasie engages TITUS RIGGS, an architect, to work on the case. DAN PELTON, the dead man's nephew, arrives, and notices the curious French dolls in Garrett Folsom's room. He tells Titus Riggs he believes his uncle had been guilty of blackmailing a number of people, and together they go through Folsom's papers.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER 27

But it was a thankless task. Mostly the documents were of no great importance and of no evidently suspicious character. It was plain to be seen that Garrett Folsom had packed the lot while in Chicago and brought them to New York, to be attended to there.

For there were various matters that concerned New York business men, and some contracts and estimates that had to do with New York firms.

But of anything touching on a nefarious pursuit, or unlawful bribery or corruption, they found no trace.

That is, until the very last, when Dan Pelton turned the little suitcase upside down and gave it a final shake, and an inconspicious pocket in the lining flipped open. Out dropped a small memorandum book.

It was old and worn, and had evidently been hidden in the pocket purposely.

The two men pounced upon it and found it to be full of various notes and dates, which obviously referred to private matters.

"Whatever it's all about," Pelton said, "it's not meant for the general public. But many of the entries date back and many of the notes are crossed out. I fancy he had this book in use for years."

"Looks so," agreed Riggs, "but I can't see as it's going to mean much to us, unless we can make out who the people are."

"Well, here's one that seems familiar. Toward the last, note the initials C. R. S. And repeated several times."

"And who may C. R. S. be?"

"That's just it. He may be, possibly, Croydon Rochester Sears."

"Croydon Sears! Impossible! That man's white clear through. I don't know him very well, but I do know him, and I know nothing but good of him."

"That doesn't count, Riggs. If there was a black spot on his past, you wouldn't know it—but Garrett Folsom might have."

"Can you get head or tail to these notes about C. R. S.?"

"They are vague, and yet they are definite, too. Definite in expression, that is, though vague in meaning or allusion."

"Such as?"

"One says, 'C. R. S. Keep on tenterhooks.' Another, 'Screw a little tighter, but lightly.' And another, 'Refer to Secret, but lightly.' It seems to me such notes can only mean that uncle held a club over the head of Mr. Sears."

"Do you know Sears well?"

"Not so very. But I've known him in a general way for years. And I'd back him to the last ditch. His reputation is unassailable. But Uncle Garry may have known of some plot. Early indiscretion, or something. There's no use pretending uncle was perfect, just because he's dead."

"Pelton, you use the word blackmail with a careless touch. It's dangerous and uncertain game. More than in most ventures, if you push your victim too far, you come to a cropper yourself."

"Well, Garrett Folsom wasn't the man to come croppers. If that's the case, then I'll bet he never pushed a victim too far."

"He did—if he was murdered for doing so."

Pelton stared.

"Meaning, in plain English, the suggestion that he was hounding Sears about this 'secret' which unquestionably existed, and that in consequence, Sears bumped him off?"

"Meaning that it is certainly among the possibilities."

"Then, I say, as I said from the start, I'd rather let sleeping dogs lie, drop the investigation, and let the bones of Garrett Folsom rest in peace."

"The investigation will not be dropped!" cried a strident voice, and Miss Folsom stamped into the room. "I heard what you said, Dan, as I neared the door. And it's not up to you to say what shall be done. I engaged Mr. Riggs; he is working for me, and I forbid you to interfere in any manner!"

"Oh, come, now, Aunt Stasia," said Pelton, "you don't want to uncover a lot of stuff that would reflect on Uncle Garrett's character, do you?"

"Nothing like that CAN be unearthed! There is nothing in my brother's life that may not be shown to the light of day! Don't you suppose I knew my brother! And he has been murdered, and for some reason or other you are trying to hush things up! First thing you know you'll get yourself suspected!"

"Good Lord, auntie, how you do go on!"

Even in this serious situation Dan was amused, as he always was, at his aunt's vehemence.

"I'll thank you, Dan, to keep out of it all. You can't help, and if you could you wouldn't. Now take your finger out of the pie and leave the investigation to those who are capable of conducting it."

Her scorn, as shown on her haughty face, might have withered one less used to it, but it was old stuff to Dan Pelton.

"All right," he said, "but don't blame me when you find you have brought public ignominy and shame on the memory of the man you loved so well."

"What do you mean?"

He looked at Riggs and shrugged his shoulders.

"You see, madam," and Tite Riggs concluded frankness was his duty, "we've run across some notes and papers that seem to show Mr. Folsom had some people at his mercy."

"At his mercy? What do you mean by that?"

"That their reputations were at his mercy. That he knew their secrets and it gave him a hold over them."

"My brother knew the secrets of many people. He was the confidant and counsellor of many. If that gave him a hold over them it was the hold of gratitude and thankfulness for his assistance."

"Aunt, you're priceless! I think, Riggs, you'd better tell her all."

"Mr. Riggs will most certainly tell me all."

Miss Folsom's eyes began to glitter and her voice took on a dominating tone that had, nevertheless, Dan noted, a slight tinge of fear in it.

"Then, Miss Folsom, to put the matter in a few words, we have found some papers—"

"You told me that before."

"Some papers that indicate transactions or arrangements of a nature far from creditable to Mr. Folsom."

"Speak out more plainly. What are they?"

"I'll read you some, instead."

He opened the worn notebook and read:

"'F. L.: Positive of the perjury matter. J. N. S.: No doubt of the truth of K's report. T. C.: Have absolute proof of his guilt.'

"Now, I'm sorry to hurt you further, but on another page a series of large numbers would seem to indicate sums paid by these individuals, as the figures are opposite the initials we have noted, and the dates are consecutive—and recent."

"I think, Mr. Riggs, you read a meaning into those notes to suit yourself. I think, if truth were known, they represent the friends who, as I told you, consulted with my brother and he advised and helped them. The figures, of course, we cannot understand, but none of it is one iota of proof or even an indication that my brother had any unlawful hold over these people."

"I have not seen such great faith, no, not in all Israel!" murmured Pelton, who was fond of quotation.

"Be quiet, Dan," said his aunt. "Now, Mr. Riggs, you seem extraordinarily blind of facts, as you call them. If these are facts, I mean in the way you interpret them, then it is clear that my brother's murderer must have been one of these victims, as you put it, of his tyranny. If so, I want that man found and hanged, and I will accept the consequences of any opprobrium that may bring to my brother's name."

"Then you want me to go ahead and investigate these notes, if possible, irrespective of the outcome?"

"Go ahead, full steam!" declared Miss Folsom.

(To Be Continued).

Again the strange dolls that Garrett Folsom owned intrude on the mystery. What was their real significance?

HARMONY

Quite a force of the neighbors were helping J. F. Flanary reshingle his fine farm residence list Wednesday.

The rain of Friday spoiled all our good roads, but the sunshine of the first of the week caused a rapid improvement.

John Anderson dragged the roads between his residence and the church Tuesday of last week.

On account of the very muddy roads there were no services last Sunday. It is planned to have the song service next Sunday evening if the weather and bad roads do not interfere.

Miss Dorris McKee went to Maryville, Wednesday evening to see her pupil, Dorothy Ferguson, who has been in St. Francis for a minor operation. She had recovered so she came home the last of the week, and will be in her classes at school soon.

Rev. C. R. Green came to Parnell last Friday to conduct the funeral services of Mrs. T. A. Brashear at that place. He returned to his work at Farrar, Iowa, Friday evening.

E. R. Besco and family entertained the families of R. V. McKee and W. I. Lewis at a Sunday dinner, at their elegant new farm home.

B. K. Lewis was transacting business in Maryville last Thursday.

Fay Woodson Null spent the week end of vacation between the winter and spring terms at S. T. C., with home folks.

Considerable excitement was caused down in the Casteel corner last Saturday evening by a gang of bandits. Their suspicious actions led to an investigation and finally their car becoming stalled near Art Cravens, a company started out to apprehend them as an investigation disclosed stolen goods in their car. Fay Woodson Null ran across two of the bandits near the Walt Davis farm, and single handed, marched one ahead of him to the Davis residence, the other one escaping. He was taken in charge by Deputy Sheriff W. M. Cox, who turned him over to Sheriff Campbell. The car also was turned over to the sheriff. So far the other two members of the gang have not been apprehended.

School Notes

Harold Holt conducted a very successful orchestra rehearsal last Tuesday.

Neva King suffered from minor injuries when her pony fell with her on the road to school last Tuesday.

Our basketball boys, accompanied by coach Halley Ford went to Maryville last Thursday to take part in the tournament. They drew a bye the first day and lost their first game to the strong Holt team by a score of 38 to 12. Holt proved to be "runner up" in class B. Some of the boys remained till Sunday.

The ventilating jacket was placed on the stove at Common Sense and that school is now about ready for an inspection that will, we hope, place it on the list of "First Class" schools. It is planned to erect playground equipment soon. The teacher, Miss Leatha Lawson, and the patrons have worked hard for this improvement and deserve a great deal of credit for the effort they have made.

While dragging the roads last week John Anderson came in and put our tennis court in fine condition. Thanks, John.

Miss Neva King took part in the spelling contest at Maryville last Thursday. Spellers were present from 15 different counties, and girls predominated. First prize went to Holt County.

Reverends E. B. and Ida Cunningham were welcome callers at the High School Monday afternoon. Come again parson.

Lucile Lawson spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Ford, at her home near Orrsburg.

Basketball season is over, and preparation for track is now the order of the day.

Dora May Parent is a new member of our orchestra. She plays the violin.

The class in agriculture planted the first seds in the hotbed Monday.

Third quarter's examination Thursday and Friday.

PRAIRIE VIEW.

Marjorie and Joe Hall enrolled in school last Tuesday.

Those present every day last month were Basil, Eldon, Bonnie, Verlin and Leila Koger, Donald Blackney, Ora King, Jessie Snoderly and Marie Ulmer.

The average attendance last month was 13.275.

Marcel Ulmer was absent from school Friday.

Our community meeting will be next Friday night, March 18.

Otto Kluth hauled corn to Clearmont for Jay Meek Tuesday.

We want to thank the school board and the men who helped make our basketball court, for we certainly enjoy playing basketball.

The pupils in the agriculture class are keeping egg records for the month of March.

Read the Want Ads.

Burlington Junction

By J. Howard Thompson.)

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nicholas will soon move to their farm three miles southwest of town for the summer Their son, Wayne, and his wife, will move into the home in town while they are on the farm.

Watch your dog. Rabies are not far away. Dogs have recently gone mad at Maitland, Graham, Clearmont and other near-by communities. Keep your eye upon him. After he goes mad and bites something or someone, the damage will have been done. The pet dog of the Methodist minister at Pickering recently went mad and had to be killed —watch your dog.

The Rev. W. F. Pitker was in town for a time, the guest of Rev. J. Howard Thompson, last Saturday afternoon. He is the pastor of the Methodist Church in Clearmont and Elmo. He was on his way to Elmo for his Sunday services.

Next week Friday will be the time for the entertainment to be given by the Girls Glee Club of Missouri Wesleyan College. There will be eighteen of the girls, and they will give a program of ensemble singing, solo singing, duets, quartets and readings. The entertainment will be entirely free to the public, but a silver offering will be asked for at the close of the program.

Dr. E. L. Robinson, district superintendent of the St. Joseph district of the Methodist Church, was in town Saturday night and Sunday. He preached in the morning at the Methodist Church and immediately after the sermon held the second quarterly conference of the Methodist Church. He went to Elmo for a Sunday night service.

Miss Bernice Manes returned to her home in Blanchard, Ia., Sunday morning after a few days' visit with her father, Frank Manes, and her brother, George, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Manes. She was called to the community on account of the death of her brother, Galen. She makes her home with her grandmother, Mrs. Thomas Boyles.

A rather unique and unusual thing happened at the Methodist Church Sunday morning relative to the Sunday school attendance. There were exactly the same number present as was present the Sunday before, and only 14 cents difference in the amount of the offering.

Mrs. Emma Taylor, who has been confined to her room, and for the most part to her bed, for the past year, suffering with cancer, is very weak at this writing. Her children are with her constantly, giving her all the aid and comfort possible.

After the rain and cold of Saturday and Sunday, the sky cleared and by Monday morning there was every evidence of clear and settled weather, with rising temperature. We are confidently expecting that the frosty nights will soon cease and the real spring weather will be here.

W. J. Alderman of Stanton, Neb., came last week, Friday, to visit his brother-in-law, Elisha Nicholas and family for a few days. Mr. Alderman was a former resident of Burlington Junction, having left here for his Nebraska home twenty-four years ago. He will return to his home the latter part of this week.

James Shores, who has maintained a garage in the Wright building for the past two years, is moving his stock to Clearmont and will open a garage in that town immediately. Mr. Wright, the owner of the building, will open a feed store at once in the building. Mr. Wright is moving over from Fairfax, and will occupy the home recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. J. G. House.

The plasterers are at work plastering the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Manes in the north part of town. As soon as they have finished their work, the carpenters will complete the inside finishing, and then the Manes' will move into it. Their home was destroyed by fire a few weeks ago.

Ed Browning has the interior of his business building, spic and span with new paint and varnish. Even before he went over it this last time, it had a very neat appearance but now with the ceiling newly painted and all the shelving and wood work inside varnished. Henry Browning did the painting and varnishing.

Both the Republican and Democratic caucuses will be held for the township this week Saturday. At this time candidates for the various township offices will be chosen. There seems to be no interest in any of the offices except that of collector. There will be three aspirants before the Democratic caucus, and two before the Republican caucus. The Democrats will hold their caucus in the Armory building, and the Republicans will hold theirs at the Miller Tire shop.

The boys basketball team of our high school have won twelve trophies, four this present year. The last one was won at the tournament held at Ravenwood on February 19. It was a silver loving cup. It was presented to the school last Tuesday morning at the assembly hour. The trophy case is far too small to hold all the trophies to date, and some other provision will have to be made in order that they may be properly cared for.

Misses Etta and Georgia Trusty, who are students at the Northwest State Teachers College, at Maryville, spent several days last week at the home of their father, Dr. G. C. Trusty. They returned to school again this week. Miss Etta will soon finish her course, and receive a degree from the College. Her many friends here are congratulating her on her success.

L. E. Miller who has been sick for the past few weeks, has so far convalesced as to be about the house most of the time, and can occasionally walk out in the yard and garden. This will be glad news to his numerous friends and business associates, who will be glad to see him at his desk at work again.

George Alexander who lives on a farm in Southern Iowa, south of Clarinda, was in town Monday of this week, shaking hands with his many friends. George formerly lived in this community and is always a welcome visitor.

O. M. Grissinger, and family, have gone on a farm near Rock Port, having moved to their new location last week. He has been in the battery business for the past two years here, and now has decided to try farming for a time. He with his family made many friends while living here, who regret his going away

Should Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Graves live until April the 7th they will have been married thirty happy years. In anticipation of that event, Mr. Graves surprised his wife with a fine upholstered parlor set and a complete dining room suite. Mr. Grave is one of the rural mail carriers from the Burlington Junction postoffice, beside personally overseeing a large farm four miles southwest of town. Mr. and Mrs. Graves are the parents of three children, who are Miles Graves, and Rachel Graves of Burlington Junction, and Harold Graves, of Chicago. They have lived all their lives in and around Burlington Junction.

Miss Frieda Crouse, one of the teachers in our grade school, and whose home is in Mound City, spent the week end with her parents in her home town. Miss Martin, her room mate and also one of the grade teachers, accompanied her. They returned to their school duties, Sunday night.

The Rev. A. L. Ragsdale gave a study on missionary India in his service Sunday night. While the muddy condition of the roads kept many of the country people away, the people in town responded in a very fine way. He used the steriopticon, and showed seventy pictures on missionary India, in reference to the work being done there by the Christian church. That was the fourth night of the series. He will continue at least two Sunday nights more.

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Reavis, entertained their grandson for several days last week. The laddie is only a few months old, and yet so wide awake as to give the grandparents plenty to do to keep even with him. They returned him to his parents in Guilford, Mo., after a week.

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Check at first sneeze.
Rub on—inhale vapors
VICKS VAPORUB
Over 21 Million Jars Used Yearly

Colds
The $1,000,000 way

There's a way to end colds so quick, efficient and complete that we paid $1,000,000 for it. That way is HILL'S. It stops colds in 24 hours, checks fever, opens the bowels, tones the entire system. The millions who know it always rely on it. Go start it now.

HILL'S Cascara-Bromide-Quinine
Be sure you get HILL'S, in the red box with portrait. At all druggists—30c.

GRAHAMS
Dept. Store - "All Sorts of Things"

The Smartest of the New Spring
DRESSES

Never such alluring styles! Never such rich silken fabrics! Never more exquisite colors!

Many are copies of French models. Others are duplicate of high price dresses designed by America's most famous stylists.

$12.90

$14.90

Spring Fabrics
Canton Crepes Flat Crepes
Georgette
Satin Face Crepes

You'll find colors gay and some are in styles too numerous to mention—the wanted bolero, the flattering straight lines are all here in many variations of spring models.

SIZES FOR
WOMEN AND MISSES

$14.90 The New Coats Shows Interesting Styles

Tweeds in plaids and mixtures that are attractively priced.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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THAT BRING RESULTS

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The Advertising Department,
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Maryville, Missouri.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

I HEREBY announce myself as candidate for Polk Township Collector subject to the Republican primary. Your support will be sincerely appreciated.—EMMETT BARTRAM.

I HEREBY announce myself as a candidate for the office of trustee of Polk Township, subject to the action of the Republican township convention on March 19th.—JOHN F. DOWDEN.

I HEREBY announce myself as candidate for Hughes Township Assessor subject to the Republican primary, March 19th. Your support will be appreciated.—R. L. NOBLET.

FLOWERS 4

I WILL BE AT MARYVILLE from March 20 until tree planting season is over. See me for dependable stock. Ready for delivery about the 25th.

GEO. R. MURRAY
Murray Nurseries

USE Dormant spray for fruit trees and shrubbery. Barium sulpher compound is best. Sold only by Koch Pharmacy.

PERSONALS 7

NOT RESPONSIBLE for debts contracted other than by myself on this date or after.
Harold G. Roelofson.

LOST 10

LOST—Saturday. A link bracelet set with red, yellow and blue sets. Red cameo.—Finder return this office.

LOST—Ladies brown leather glove. Reward.—Lucile Qualls, Hanamo 447.

STRAYED—Two steer calves from farm east of town.—J. A. Appleby, Farmers 249.

FOUND 11

FOUND—30x6 truck casing with carrier attached. Goodyear. Owner have same by paying for this ad.—Geo. W. Colter, Farmers phone 332-12.

AUTOMOTIVE

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE 12

If

You Are Planning

to buy a car this spring it will pay you to visit our used car department.

We have many wonderful bargains listed and our terms and trade-in policy are most liberal.

McDONNELL CHEVROLET CO.

Read the Want Ads.

AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE 12

Star Sales and Service

1—New Tudor Ford Sedan.
1—1926 Chevrolet Coupe.
1—1924 Ford Touring.
1—1924 Ford Roadster.
1—Hedge Touring.
1—Dodge Roadster.

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AT KRAMER GARAGE

You Are Missing Something Worthwhile if you have not seen the

New Dodge

GUARANTEED FORD USED CARS.

1923 Fordor Sedan, looks and runs like new.
1924 Coupe. Refinished and cord tires.
1923 Runabout with delivery truck.
1925 Touring. Extra good.
One extra good One-Ton Truck.

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Maryville's Ford Agent for 18 Years

Outstanding Used Car Values

1—1926 Ford Roadster, glass enclosure, 5 balloon tires, motor meter, heater and other extras.

1—1924 Willys-Knight Touring. Has new paint and is in fine condition.

Besides the above we have several used bargains at the price.

SEWELL AUTO COMPANY
Willys-Overland Fine Motor Cars

CARS WASHED, REPAIRED 15

Refinish your car with the Best

DUCO

Don't Wait until spring months to have it done. Bring your car in now. Duco is the finish that is being used on the majority of the finest cars built. It improves with age.

LANNING TIRE, TOP, PAINT & VARNISH COMPANY
Main at First Street

BUSINESS SERVICE

THE TRADES 19

TUBULAR FORD RADIATORS
$12.00
Hog and Poultry Supplies
HEIDEMAN & LEET
East Side Square.
Tin and Furnace Work

ICE, COAL, WOOD, ETC. 20

GLOVER & ALEXANDER

COAL

FEED and ICE

SHOEMAKER — BOYARD

Transfer
Storage
Coal and Sand

ALWAYS AT YOUR SERVICE

EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED—MALE 27

WANTED—Man of fair education for permanent position. Start about $27.50. Must be able to travel in Northern Missouri.—Write 717 Corby Bldg., St. Joseph, Mo.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 28

HIGH SCHOOL BOY wants work of any kind. Has had some experience clerking in store.—Call Hanamo 5135.

LIVESTOCK

POULTRY AND SUPPLIES 33

ENGLISH WYCOFF—S. C. White Leghorn eggs for hatching. Flock headed by cockerels out of certified blood. Tested flock $3.00 per hundred.—Mrs. Fred Lyle, Barnard phone.

HATCHING EGGS—S. C. W. S. Wycoff strain, extra large, $3.50 per hundred. Come and see them.—Mrs. Glenn Jones, Farmers 54-16.

POULTRY AND SUPPLIES 33

S. C. R. I. Red eggs 4 cents each.—Mrs. Harry Hartness, Farmers 41-14.

PUREBRED BABY CHICKS

$14 per 100 Delivered
$13 per 100 at the Hatchery
Custom Hatching.

GRAY'S HATCHERY
402 East 6th
Han. 4579 Far. 164-11

JUST-RIGHT CHICK STARTER

Mrs. Hen Says: Give my Baby Chicks Just Right Starter. It is the best and costs less.
$3.75 per 100.
B. A. Frost Poultry Co.

ORDERS Taken for hen hatched baby chicks; also S. C. R. I. Red setting eggs.—Farmers 20-14.

ORDER CHICKS now. 200 White Wyandotte baby chicks, hatch March 22, $12.50 per 100.—Glenn Swinford.

WEEK OLD CHICKS FOR SALE

Fine bunch of Week Old Chicks. These are well started and are strong and vigorous. Have White Leghorn, Black Langshan, White Wyandottes and Buff Orpingtons. Special Bargain prices. Phone or See Maryville Hatchery.

Single Comb
WHITE LEGHORN
World Famous Barron Strain
Purebred
$5.00 per 100
Come and see them
Send Mail and phone through Barnard
MR. and MRS. D. N. HOSHOR
10 Miles South Maryville on Concrete.

PUREBRED—White Rock Hatchery eggs from extra good layers, $3.50 per 100.—Mrs. Ernest Bainum, Farmers 38-15.

HORSES, CATTLE, SWINE 34

FOR SALE—Some good farm mares, also some good mules.—Jim Andy Ford.

FOR SALE—Well marked, purebred Holstein Bull calf, born March 11th. Price $20.00 if taken by March 25th. Registration fee not included.—J. B. Snyder, Bedison, Mo.

FOR SALE OR TRADE for two or three days only, good yearling Shorthorn bull calf.—Harry Wright, Graham.

MERCHANDISE

FEEDS, GRAINS 37A

FOR SALE—Red clover seed at Farm Bureau office.—Al Gross.

WANTED TO BUY 38

WANTED—Clean rags, free from buttons.—Democrat-Forum & Tribune.

FOR SALE—3-burner Perfection Oil Stove, high top, enamel.—Hanamo 6459.

RESIDENCES AND ROOMS

FARMS, LANDS FOR RENT 41

FOR RENT—160 acres 6 miles southeast Maryville.—Inquire Hugh Strong.

FOR RENT—200 acres, 4 miles east Maryville.—Call Farmers 35.

HOUSES FOR RENT 42

FOR RENT—Fine six-room house, strictly modern; good garage, across the street from hospital. Possession anytime.—Chas. Hyslop.

FOR RENT—By the year. Two modern seven-room houses in good locations. Fred Kurtz, Hanamo 649.

FOR RENT—Ten-room house with one acre ground. Chicken houses, cave, and garden. One mile south town on pavement.—See W. N. Deatherage.

ROOMS FOR RENT 43

FOR RENT—Two furnished modern rooms for light housekeeping, down stairs. Also a garage if wanted.—Call Hanamo 3511.

FOR RENT—Two large downstairs rooms, reasonable price.—Mrs. Will Trullinger, Farmers 240-11.

HOUSES FOR SALE 47

FOR SALE—Six room house, good condition, lights, cave, two good lots. Price $1800. $100 cash, Balance $20 a month.—Yeo Bros.

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(Insertions March 9, 14 and 16).

NOTICE OF CONVENTION

Notice is hereby given that the Republican Convention for White Cloud Township will be held at the Davis School House in White Cloud Township at 2 o'clock p. m., Saturday, March 19, 1927, for the purpose of nominating candidates to the following offices: Trustee, two members of the township board, collector, assessor, constable, and one justice of the peace.

F. F. HARTMAN, Committeeman.

Store READ WANT ADS wanted

LEGAL NOTICES 51

NOTICE

Candidates for nomination for Mayor and Councilman of the City of Maryville, Missouri, at a Primary Election to be held in said City on Tuesday, March 22d, 1927.

For Mayor—

W. O. GARRETT
(Vote for one)

For Councilmen—

T. C. COIL
D. E. HOTCHKIN
ERNEST C. MOORE
A. N. (DOLL) REECE
WILBERT REESE
AUGUSTUS ROMASSER

(Vote for two)

Official ballot.
Attest: MERLE C. SMITH, City Clerk.

Gallatin Banker Is Arrested in Colorado

Dr. R. V. Thompson, Former Cashier of Defunct Institution, to Answer Grand Jury Charges.

From the Gallatin Democrat.

Dr. R. V. Thompson, former cashier of the Farmers Exchange Bank of Gallatin, closed March 4, 1926, was arrested in Eagle, Colo., Saturday by a detective of the Burns agency. Dr. Thompson is wanted here on seven charges as the result of grand jury indictments. Five of the indictments charge receiving deposits when the bank was in a failing condition, one of embezzlement and another of a false entry. A few days after the bank was closed Dr. Thompson left Gallatin and his whereabouts have been unknown.

Sheriff B. B. Houghton left Gallatin yesterday afternoon for Glenwood Springs, Colo., and will return with Dr. Thompson, reaching here either Thursday night or Friday noon.

Dr. Thompson was arrested at Eagle, Colo., where it is said he had located for the practice of medicine. He was taken from Eagle to Glenwood Springs and placed in jail. According to advices received here Dr. Thompson first said he would fight extradition, but later decided to waive extradition, return here and tell his story of the closed bank's affairs.

Obviously there have been many stories afloat concerning Dr. Thompson's departure and whereabouts, and since his arrest, it is said he has been in both Kansas City and St. Joseph, but spending the major portion of his time in Colorado.

J. M. Bull Named Administrator.

John M. Bull of Elmo yesterday was named administrator of the estate of Anna McMahon of Elmo, who died March 11, by Judge Jesse F. Robertson of the probate court.

Hopkins Men Sue on Note.

A. L. Stithen and Oliver Young of Hopkins, co-partners in a business there, today filed suit against Harvey Grimes in circuit court for collection of $163, claimed to be due on a note.

Frank McGuire to Kansas City Today

Boy Bitten By Mad Dog Will Undergo Treatment For Prevention Of Hydrophobia.

Frank McGuire, 12 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. William McGuire, Pickering, left today for Kansas City where he will be given pasteur treatment for the prevention of hydrophobia.

The boy was bitten by his dog more than a week ago, and the head of the dog, sent away to be examined, showed that the animal had rabies.

The city of Pickering helped finance the trip.

Federal Officer Here on Stolen Car Case

W. L. Buchanon, special agent of the United States Department of Justice, of Kansas City, was in Maryville yesterday and today, making an investigation of a stolen automobile and jewelry, in which connection Harry Hamilton, Princeton, Mo., was apprehended in the Harmony community Saturday night.

The car was identified by George L. Fountain, Topeka, Kas., who claimed ownership. The jewelry and clothing found belonged to C. H. Falk of Atchison, Kas., Mr. Falk said when here Monday.

Mr. Buchanon while here interviewed Fay Woodson Null of the Harmony district, who helped Hamilton, and two men who escaped, when the car became mired in a mud hole near his father's farm. Mr. Buchanon returned to Kansas City this afternoon.

Round Table Has Two Guests.

The Round Table Club had as their guests today Dr. C. C. James, pastor of the First M. E. Church, and John H. Gray.

Mrs. Harry Roselle of Maitland visited in Maryville yesterday.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself as candidate for the office of

TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE
Polk Township

subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, Saturday, March 19. Your support will be appreciated.

ELMER YOUNG.

Bunions
Quick relief from prin. Prevent shoe pressure.
At all drug and shoe stores
Dr Scholl's Zino-pads
Put one on—the pain is gone

ZINO PADS
For sale by
BEE HIVE SHOE STORE
The Home of Good Shoes.

HOSMER'S
STOCK SALE
STAR PAVILION
Maryville, Saturday
March 19, 1927
This sale is open for the sale of YOUR live stock. What do you want to sell? At your service.
R. P. Hosmer,
"The Auctioneer"

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 10,000; market slow, 15c to 25c lower.

Top, $11.75; bulk, $11 to $11.40.

Cattle.

Receipts 2,700; market slow, steady to weak.

Bulk of steers, $9 to $11.

Cows and heifers, $4 to $9.50.

Calves, $6 to $12.

Stockers and feeders, $7 to $8.75.

Sheep.

Receipts 4,000; market slow, weak to 25c lower.

Lambs, $14 to $14.75.

Ewes, $8.50 to $9.60.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 10,500; market 25c to 35c off.

Cattle

Receipts 4,800, including 1,600 calves; market slow.

Sheep

Receipts 1,000; no early sales.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 22,000; market 25c to 35c lower.

Cattle.

Receipts 6,500; fed steers and yearlings slow, shipping grades about steady; others weak to 15c lower.

Sheep.

Receipts 11,000; all classes weak to 25c lower.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Hogs

Receipts 19,000; light hogs 10c to 15c lower, butchers, 15c to 25c lower.

Cattle.

Receipts 11,000, including 2,000 calves; most killing classes slow at recent 25c to 50c decline.

Sheep.

Receipts 10,000; fat lambs slow and about steady.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 10,500; market 10c to 15c lower; bulk, $11.10 to $11.60.

Heavies $11 to $11.35.

Light $11.60 to $12.

Butchers $11.25 to $11.65.

Pigs, $11.75 to $12.50.

Cattle.

Receipts 7,000; market weak.

Prime fed steers $11.75 to $13.

Dressed beef steers $8.35 to $11.75.

Western steers $8.50 to $11.85.

Southern steers $7.50 to $9.75.

Stockers and feeders $6.25 to $9.50.

Cows $4.00 to $8.25.

Heifers $6.25 to $10.50.

Bulls $5.50 to $7.00.

Calves $6.00 to $12.50.

Sheep.

Receipts 5,500; market weak.

Spring lambs $13.25 to $14.75.

Yearlings $11.00 to $12.00.

Ewes $8.00 to $9.25.

Wethers $8.75 to $9.50.

Stockers and feeders $13.50 to 14.25.

Chicago Grain Table.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Yest.
Wheat—					
May	1.37½	1.38⅜	1.37¼	1.38¼	1.37⅜
July	1.31⅞	1.32⅞	1.31⅝	1.32⅜	1.32⅛
Sept.	1.29½	1.30⅜	1.29½	1.30⅜	1.29¾
CORN—					
May	.76¾	.77¾	.76¾	.77½	.76¾
July	.80⅞	.81½	.80⅝	.81⅝	.80⅞
Sept.	.84¼	.85	.84¼	.84⅝	.84⅝

Chicago Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, $1.34½; No. 3 red, $1.30.

CORN—No quotation.

FURNITURE FOR SALE

Complete, nearly new, living room, bed room and dining room suites, rugs, oil stove, heater; many other articles. Mrs. Frank Schumacher, Hanamo 340.

Advertising
Makes Girls More Attractive
If the face powder you now use does not stay on long enough to suit you—does not keep that ugly shine away indefinitely—does not make your skin colorful like a peach—try this new wonderful special French Process Face Powder called MELLO-GLO. Remember the name MELLO-GLO. There's nothing like it.—Maryville Drug Co.

Enjoy GOOD HEALTH
Safeguard your Children

Nature's Remedy
REG. U. S. PAT. OFFICE
NR-TABLETS-NR
Keep the family well and happy, free from constipation
A SAFE, DEPENDABLE LAXATIVE
Gaugh & Evans.

Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce

Wheat—Receipts 54 cars; market for hard, ½c to 1c higher; market for red, ½c to 1c higher; No. 2 hard, $1.31½ to $1.37½; No. 3 hard, $1.31 to $1.36½; No. 2 red, $1.30 to $1.31; No. 3 red, $1.28½ to $1.30.

CORN—Receipts 12 cars; market unchanged; No. 2 mixed, 71c to 73½c; No. 3 mixed, 67½c to 71c; No. 2 yellow, 74c to 75½c; No. 3 yellow, 71c to 74c; No. 2 white, 72c to 73c.

OATS—Receipts none; market unchanged; No. 2 white, 47½c to 49c.

RYE—96c to 96½c.

BARLEY—No. 3, 72c to 74c.

HAY—Prairie, choice, $14 to $15; timothy, No. 1, $15; alfalfa, choice, $21.50 to $24.

Eggs, 22½c; selected, 27½c; butter, 54c; packing, 23c; hens, 21c; turkeys and young toms, 30c; broilers, 38c; ducks, 24c; geese, 14c.

Closing Grain Review.

Chicago, March 16.—Wheat prices dipped a little early on the weak cables but rallied later on good commission house buying and short covering, closing with good gains for the day. The cash demand here was small and prices ½ cent higher. Receipts were small in the Southwest, Kansas City having 54 cars.

A decisive falling off of receipts, together with local shipments yesterday of 285,000 bushels, caused a bullish sentiment in the corn pit, and prices closed considerably higher. Receipts here were 40 cars. The cash market was ½ cent higher.

Oats advanced fractionally with other grains. Receipts were 31 cars. The cash market was steady.

Provisions closed lower.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Eggs, per dozen	19c
Cream, per lb.	47c
Hens, per lb.	18c
Leghorn, hens, per lb.	17c
1927 Springs, per lb.	30c
Geese, per lb.	8c
Roosters, per lb.	12c
Hides, per lb.	6c
Ducks, per lb.	10c

The second annual "states" dinner will be given this year by the Ladies Aid Society of the First Methodist Church Thursday evening, March 24, in the church dining room. The affair was one of the enjoyable events of last year and plates will no doubt be at a premium this year. A chicken dinner will be served.

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Union Township
subject to Democratic convention.

ERNEST INGELS.

The First and Original Cold and Grip Tablet
Proven Safe for more than a Quarter of a Century as an effective remedy for COLDS, GRIP, INFLUENZA and as a Preventive. Price 30c.
The box bears this signature
E. W. Grove
Since 1889

Advertisement.
Read Today's Offer You Who Have Indigestion
Ask Koch Pharmacy About Generous Money Back Guarantee.
There's a right way to put an end to stomach distress, such as gas and shortness of breath resulting from an overworked, abused or dyspeptic stomach.
You are simply patching up your stomach when you take things that can only bring relief for a few hours at a time.
Why not build up your run-down stomach—make it strong and vigorous so that you can eat anything you want any time you want to without misery and distress?
Dare's Mentha Pepsin is what every sufferer from poor digestion or dyspepsia needs—a pleasant upbuilding elixir for the stomach.
Thousands of bottles of Dare's Mentha Pepsin are sold every day because it is an outstanding, supremely effective stomach elixir that is guaranteed by Koch Pharmacy and druggists everywhere.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: Permanent Quarters

LEAPIN' LIZARDS! THAT SURE WAS A BRIGHT IDEA O' MINE GETTIN' IN THIS BOX CAR- BUT HOW WAS I TO KNOW THEY'D LOCK TH' DOOR? WE'VE GOTTA BUST OUTA HERE SOME WAY, SANDY-
UMPH! IT WON'T MOVE AN INCH- WHAT IF THEY'D STICK THIS CAR ON A SIDE TRACK SOME PLACE AN' FORGET 'BOUT IT- WHY, SANDY, WE'D STARVE! WE'VE GOTTA GET THIS DOOR OPEN-
I NEVER WAS SO HUNGRY- MY STUMMICK HURTS ALL TH' TIME - AN' IT'S GETTIN' COLD TOO- I'M SO STIFF I CAN HARDLY WALK-
NO CHANCE - FIRST PLACE, I CAN'T GET UP TO THAT LITTLE WINDOW AN' IF I COULD IT'S NAILED SHUT- GEE, SANDY- LOOKS LIKE WE'RE HERE TO STAY-
HAROLD GRAY

SECOND GAME LESS SNAPPY

BEARCATS SLOW TO GET GOING AGAINST COMARS.

FINISH 'UNDER WRAPS'

Victory Yesterday Indicates S. T. C. Basketeers Are Better Than College Union Champs.

The State Teachers College Bearcats, having [illegible] third round of the national A. A. U. basketball tournament at Kansas City, will meet their third test at 6 o'clock tonight in a game with the Emporia Teachers of Emporia, Kansas.

Final results of the game will be flashed to the Democrat Forum and Tribune.

The drive and aggressive play which featured the first appearance of the Maryville State Teachers College Bearcats in the national A. A. U. basketball tournament in Kansas City was lacking in their second game, according to the sport writers for the Kansas City newspapers.

The Bearcats won a second round game yesterday from the Comar Oilers of Tonkawa, Okla., but the victory was said to be minus the sparkle which featured the first round triumph over the Kimberly-Clark team of Kimberly, Wis.

The Journal's comment follows:

Ungles Adds Ginger.

"This struggle was preceded by a battle in which Maryville Teachers subdued the Comar Oilers of Tonkawa, Okla., 40-26. The game for a time bore the earmarks of an interesting struggle but Maryville got lined out after a period of listlessness and pulled up under wraps.

"The drive and aggressive play of its forwards that featured its initial tournament triumph, was lacking throughout the first half, but Ungles was inserted after intermission and seemed to install new life and ginger in the crew.

"After pulling itself together it proceeded to pull away from the Oilers. Displaying the fine team work that marked its progress through the first round it is difficult to single out any star of stars on the Maryville club. Four forwards were used and all are capable, while Burks, center, and Berst and Joy, guards, gave another superb passing exhibition."

Better Than Westminster.

The Star's account:

"The same team from Tonkawa, Okla., which had the audacity to eliminate the Westminster Bluejays, battled for a half with the Maryville Teachers and then, lacking the weight and experience, succumbed.

"Comar was able to emerge a winner over Westminster, and the comparison would indicate Maryville has the better team of the two Missouri champions.

"This game was singularly listless, following as it did a string of vicious-ly-pitched battles. The Teachers peeked away at the iron hoop with no enthusing success early in the fray and the Oklahomans made the most of their chances. At one time they led, 12 to 7, and by rigid guarding kept Maryville's offense from doing much of anything.

"Suddenly the spurt came, and before Maryville had finished the visitors from the South were overtaken and passed.

"Comar was outweighed but not outfought. It strove valiantly to stem the tide in the last period, but had no success once the shifty Ungles and Connor began hitting. These two carried the burden in the last period, while Hedges and Burks did the scoring in the first session."

Ivanhoe To Defeat.

The most startling upset of the tournament occurred last night when a diminutive team from Chicago, the Calumet Council club, eliminated the strong Ivanhoe Club of Kansas City, 25-13.

The Kansas City team had been expected to go to the semi-finals at least, on the basis of an enviable record this season, including victories over both the K. C. A. C. and the C. C. C., other Kansas City contenders.

The Midget Chicago players were said to make up for lack of height and weight with sizzling speed and chain lightning passing, which made the Masonic quintet appear clumsy in contrast.

Another upset was the defeat of the Catholic Community Club of Kansas City by the Canton, Ill., Legion team, 28-21. This leaves Kansas City with but one representative in the remaining rounds of the tournament, the Kansas City Athletic Club.

Other second round results yesterday and last night were.

Morning.

Phillips U., Enid, Ok., 24; Jeffersonville Elks, Jeffersonville, Ind., 20.

Emporia Teachers, Emporia, Kan., 37; Parsons De Molays, Parsons, Kan., 10.

Gila college, Thacher, Ariz., 35; Tulsa Eagles, Tulsa, Ok., 31.

Afternoon.

Monons, Lafayette, Ind., 40; Southwestern Teachers, Weatherford, Ok., 36.

Northern Illinois Teachers, 39; Oak Park Christians, Kansas City, 24.

Maryville Teachers, Maryville, Mo., 40; Comar Oils, Tonkawa, Ok., 26.

Wichita U., Wichita, Kan., 54; Sterling Milks, Oklahoma City, 29.

Washburn college, Topeka, 52; Ruby Avenue Congregational, Kansas City, 14.

Night.

Hillyards, St. Joseph, Mo., 37; Peru Teachers, Peru, Neb., 20.

K. C. A. C., 39; Kansas City Life Insurance Co., 15.

Calumet Council, K. of C., Chicago, 25; Ivanhoe Masonic, Kansas City, 13.

Ke-Nash-A, Kenosha, Wis., 40; South Side Turners, Indianapolis, 30.

Goodyear, Akron, Ohio, 33; Leacocks, St. Louis, 23.

Canton, Ill., Legion, 23; Catholic Community Club, Kansas City, 21.

J. R. Brink to Chicago.

J. R. Brink left today for Chicago for an indefinite stay at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harold Bellows, and family. Mr. Brink accompanied his sister, Mrs. J. W. Spencer, and Mr. Spencer, of St. Joseph, who motored to Maryville this morning, to Maitland to visit their sister, Mrs. J. H. Bohart, and will leave St. Joseph today for Chicago.

Sixteen Teams Will Compete at Columbia

State Contests Held Under Auspices of the Missouri State High School Athletic Association.

Columbia, March 16.—Sixteen Missouri high school basketball teams will compete in the state high school basketball championship series, to be held at the University of Missouri in Columbia March 18 and 19. Every section of the state will be represented in the tourney, which will include both a championship and consolation series, deciding first, second, third and fourth places in the state.

The tournament will be held under the auspices of the Missouri State High School Athletic Association. The University of Missouri will give numerous awards to the winning teams. A mounted silver basketball of regulation size will be given the team winning first place. A smaller mounted basketball will be given for second place, while still smaller basketballs will be the trophies for third and fourth places. Eight solid gold miniature basketball fobs will be given the individual members of the winning team. Eight sterling silver miniature basketball fobs will be given to each of the teams finishing second, third and fourth in the tournament so that both the individuals and the schools finishing in the first four places will be awarded with suitable trophies emblematic of the state championship final series.

H. V. Millard, of Decatur, Ill., one of the best officials in the West, will be chief of a staff of experienced and competentarbiters, carefully selected for their neutrality in relation to the teams in the tournament.

The authorities of the National Interscholastic Basketball tournament, to be held at the University of Chicago, March 29 to April 2, have invited the winner of the tournament to participate in that event.

Northwest Missouri will be represented by Pickering, Carrollton and Central High of St. Joseph.

Kansas City DeMoley Champs Beaten Here

Today's Kansas City Journal carries a picture of the Heart of America basketball team, champion of the Kansas City DeMolay League, with a proud record of twelve wins and no defeats.

"Their only setbacks," it is stated, "were suffered in non-league competition at the hands of the Emporia Teachers and the Maryville Teachers."

It was Maryville High School and not the State Teachers College that defeated the Heart of America team, and the line-up used here was the same as that used by the Kansas Citians in all their regular games.

Comar Oilers a Team of High School Boys

Conquerers Of Westminster, Defeated By Maryville, Intend To Go To College Together.

The Comar Oils, basketball team from Tonkawa, Okla., who defeated Westminster, Missouri College Union champions, and then gave the Maryville Bearcats a battle, in the national A. A. U. tournament at Kansas City—are high school boys.

The six regulars are from Hunter high, two from Oxford, Kan., and the ninth from Gage, Ok. The six regulars expect to attend college together next year and what a lucky college that will be.

The three towns of Tonkawa, Oxford and Gage put up the expenses to send this five to the tournament. Each contributed $150.

The Oilers defeated Westminster, 36-31, and lost to Maryville, 40-26.

Sports Progarm at Demonthenean Society

A program which dealt largely with sports was given at the Demosthenean Literary Society of the Maryville High School in meeting this morning. John Lee Cockayne gave a report of the Northwest Missouri basketball tournament and John Henry Heath gave the society members a line-up on the A. A. U. tournament now in progress at Kansas City.

A musical number was given by Herbert Swanson and a talk by Ellwood Williams.

At Father's Bedside.

Mrs. L. M. Redding of Denver, Colo., arrived in Maryville last night, being summoned here by the critical condition of her father, John Mahoney.

Lewis Arnold Leaves.

Lewis Arnold, who has been visiting in Maryville with his sister, Mrs. M. A. Lewis, sr., and his nephew, Charles Jensen, left today for Pierre, S. D.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Goodson of Ravenwood were Maryville visitors yesterday.

4,218 Licenses Issued.

Four thousand, two hundred eight en state motor licenses had been issued through the Maryville Chamber of Commerce when the office closed yesterday afternoon. Licenses issued yesterday numbered forty five.

Redecorate Offices.

The offices of the Nodaway County Chapter, American Red Cross, are being redecorated this week.

A Russian ship is operated entirely by women. We wonder if they put one another in curling irons.

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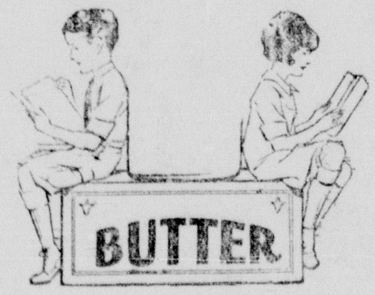

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From 9 to 10 Thursday

36 inch Lingeries Cloth for ladies' and infants' wear; for one hour only, yard 19c

From 10 to 11 Thursday

Imported Rag Rugs, size 25x50, extra quality, for one hour only, each 65c

From 1 to 2 Thursday

Bargain Basement

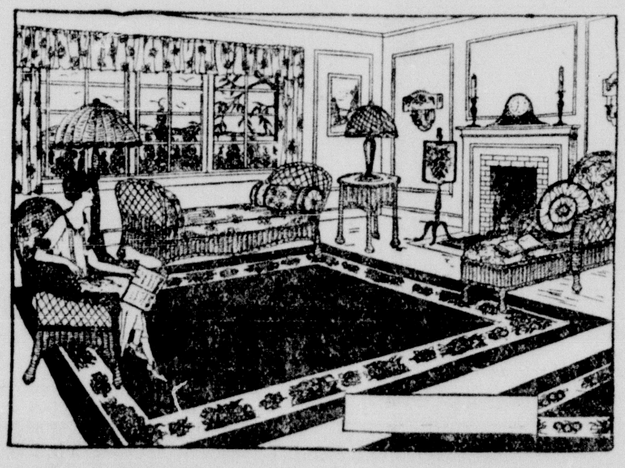
9 inch Semi-Porcelain Floral Decoration Salad Bowls, for one hour only, each 9c

From 11 to 12 Thursday.

New Spring Hats

Unusual in quality and smart in style. Priced to sell so low you can afford at least two of them. Large and small shapes, all colors. Straw and Silk combinations and straw for one hour only $5.95

If you appreciate Quality, don't miss this Hat event.



Thursday's Rug Bargains

9x12 Axminster Rugs, seam and seamless, seven conventional patterns, good patterns. Extra quality. In order to sell the seven rugs we have placed a price on them that will move them quickly and, owing to this fact, permit us to suggest—come early. Values up to $47.00 Thursday, while they last

$35.00

$1 Down, $3 a Week.

An Impersonation of Abraham Lincoln

Daily at intervals from 3:30 to 4:30 afternoon by Clinton Edward Marquis.

Mr. Marquis will show every detail of the act of character make-up, Saturday at 3:30 in full view of his audience.

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Shows 7:30 and 9:00. Admission 10c—25c—35c

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Shows 7:30 and 9:00. Daily Matinee 3 p. m. Prices 10c—25c.

TODAY AND TOMORROW—

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Douglas MacLean goes Stanley and Livingstone one better. He makes lion hunting a laughing matter. Hold that date for "Hold That Lion!" A Paramount picture.